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PHILBRICK HALL CROWDED WITH LOVERS OF MUSIC AND DARCING.

Dewey's Victory at Manila Most Fittingly Celebrated .- One of the Social Events of the Season.

> Fraternity shall ever sway, Our hearts with love aglow, For those who bore the starry Flag Against our Country's foe.

That the seventh annual May party and ball of General Gilman Marston Command would prove a magnificent and brilliant success no one doabted, for the hustling and resourceful comrades of that organization have achieved such a reputation in the art of enter taining so ably illustrated in all their social efforts of the past, but we doubt if even the most sanguine comrades of the order or its most enthusiastic supporters were prepared for the throng of people which, despite the heavy shower which set in shortly after seven o'clock, crowded the galleries, floor space and ante-rooms of Philbrick hall on Monday evening.

It was Dewey day, and that did it. In previous years it had been the cus tom of the Command to entertain as its guests at its May party and ball the national and department officers of the order. This year, however, it had contemplated giving a royal welcome to the officers and crew of the U.S. cruiser Raleigh and the officers and crews in charge of the captured Spanich annhacte Alverede end Sendavel all of which vessels were expected to be at this naval station on or before the first of May, and all the early arrangements for the ball were made with this end in view. That the programme on this line could not be carried out is a source of much regret to the comrades of the Command and the public, for which the navy department at Washington is responsible in changing the orders of these vessels after their arrival in this country.

The day and occasion were most fit ting for the contemplated welcome, it being the anniversary of Dewey's mem orable victory in Manila bay. The re turn of the Raleigh, a principal factor in the destruction of the Spanish fleet, to the United States, officered and manned by men who participated in that fight, and the presence of men who fought in the Antilles, furnished a groundwork and incentive for the splendid affair, as did also the engagement of the Fadettes Woman's orchestra of Boston, which had twice previously appeared in this city for General Gilman Marston Command and had won golden opinions. Certainly it is that when these talented musicians crossed the hall to the stage the great audience broke out in round after round of applause, attesting its pleasure in greeting the favorites and in evident anticipation of the musical treat

which followed. The concert began promptly at eight o'clock and for an hour the audience sat, or that portion of it who could get seats, entranced by the rich, brilliant melody that filled every part of the big hall, clear, distinct and mellow as a silver bell, completely satisfying the most critical ear. Every number, from the opening march. "Admiral Dewey," which brought forth a storm of ap plause and which attested the interest of the hearers in the great naval hero, to the last on the delightful programme, was most enthusiastically encored. The conductor, Caroline B. woman, who pursues her work with dignity, authority, delicate instinct and magnetism. To her, of course, is due the ensemble of the orchestra, which is really remarkable. The massing of sound, the regulation of light and shade, the varying tempo, the introduction of sudden effects, all bespoke a master hand, as race as it is most gratifying to meet. Following is the concert programme:

March "Admiral Dowey" Overture, "The Idol's Eye" Cornet Solo, "Three Ptar Polks"

"Musical Scenes from Italy"

1. War Murch of the Bernaghere'

Herbert Bagley nounced excellent in every detail.

spleadid event: Floor Director, Colonel John P. Tib-1 Bitters destroys them.

V. Tarantel c While the concert was in progress the reception committee, with ladies, eccupied seats at the head of the hall. There were no formal ceremonies, the crowded condition of the hall prevent ing, and the great length of the dance order necessitating rapid work on the part of aids and orchestra to complete the numbers.

march and circle sent a thrill of excite ment through the hall and for a few moments all was bustle and confusion, so dense was the crowd about the anterooms, through which it was almost im possible to force one's self in the en-Jeavor to secure partners. The aids and auxiliaries, however, did valuable work, and the long line of dancers soon began moving over the smooth waxen

The march was led by Ex Mayer Wil liam O. Junking and Miss Josie Tibbetts, followed by Colonel John P. Tibbetts, commander of General Gilman Marston Command, and

reception committee and ladies, officers of the Command with ladies and one hundred couples The scene at this time was most inspiring and beautiful. The crowded gal leries, brilliant with all the colors of the rainbow, reflected by the handsome toilets and millinery of the ladies, the moving phalaux upon the floor, combining the sombre black of gentlemen in evening dress, the showy uniforms of the military, the beautiful gowns of the fair damsels, enhanced by the colorings of the choicest flowers of springtime and resplendent under the light of myriads of electric bulbs, made a pa geant rarely, if ever before, excelled in

a terpsichorean event in this city. There was no attempt at elaborate bunting decoration of the always beautiful hall; the committee in charge tak ing into consideration the effect on music by the hanging of flags and festooning of bunting, wisely confined their efforts to decorating with flowering sbrubs, ferns and palms from Hannaford's conservatories, furniture and rugs from Margeson's warerooms, and a magnificent life-size oil portrait of Ad miral Dewey, painted by Tenney, the artist, and loaned by him for the occasion. It was much admired and attracted universal attention.

The dance orders were gems of beauty and will be cherished as souvenirs of the occasion. The front of the cover has a beautiful engraving of Admiral Dewey's flagship, the Olympia, in artion, a land battle scene and an embossed representation of the stars and stripes in colors and gold. On the back is a splendid likeness of the admiral and the legend: "The world's greatest admiral." The inserts embrace twentytwo dances, not including the "fan cies," dedicated to "Admiral Dewey," "General Otis," "Admiral Sampson," "The anniversary of the battle of Ma nila bay," "Admiral Schley," "Army and Navy," "His honor, the mayor,"

As if the foregoing patriotic sentiments were not enough, the order had several stanzas emblematic of Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty, printed on its pages, the first of which heads this report. The others follow:

And hence as Comrades battle-proved, Our hearts and hands unite

In friendship, love and loyalty To welcome you to night.

In fealty to a comrade's weal While on the earth we stay,

Our hearts we'll pledge for all who stood Beside us in the fray.

As great as was the number who par icipated in the grand march, the floor was even more crowded in the dances which followed, everyone desiring to avail themselves to the fullest extent of the entrancing music of the orchestra, and so numerous were the encores and so persistent were the dancers to have some favorite number repeated, that it was with difficulty that the list was completed in the fast fleeting hours. It may be safely asserted that no more delightful enjoyment and satisfaction was ever given to the devotees of dancing in this city than was furnished on this occasion. The floor directors, aids and auxiliaries were indefatigable in their efforts to please and that they succeeded admirably the throng that remained throughout the night and crowded the

finor during the last waltz amply at-At midnight a bountiful supper was served in U. V. U. hall by the ladies of Harriet P. Dame Union, which was most liberally patronized and pro-

The following were the officers of the

Assistant Floor Directors, Lieut. Col. William H. Lear, Major John C. Stevens. Aide, Joseph R. Curtis, Thos. L. Jose, G. L. F. Harriman, Chas. E. Ber, y. Pat-

rick Gallagher, William H. Hempshire,

Leslie Norman. Auxiliary Aids, Sons of Veterans.

Recaption Committee, His Honor, Mayor Calvin Page, Hon. John S. Tilton, Hon. John W. Emery, Hon. William O. Junkins, Hon. John J. Las-The sound of the bugle for the grand key, Hon. Charles P. Berry, Hon. John H. Broughton, Col. John P. Tibbetta, Col. James R. Stanwood, Col. Samuel

H. Pillsbury. Committee of Arrangements, John P. Tibbetts, William H. Lear, John C. Stevens, Charles W. Lolley, Carl Carty, Joseph R. Cuttis, George L. F. Harriman, Robert J. Churchill, Charles U. Muchmore, Wm. H. Hempshire, Thomas L. Jose, Leslie Norman, Jasper II. Grant, Martin Garrity, Timothy B. Oliver, Frank L. Keyes, Robert Braxton, George R. Raitt, Patrick Gallagher, Chas. E. Berry, Samuel Hilliard, George Sides, Stephen A. Preble, Samuel H. Pilisbury, Asa Wilson, Michael Sheridan, William H. Kennison, James C. Donnelly, James F. Ramsey, Charles A. C. Gray, Jacob A. C. Moulton, Colonel James R. Stanwood.

AFTER THE BALL.

The dance orders were right in keeping with the occasion and were a beauti ful work of art.

The music was excellent and it was the first out of town orchestra heard in this city during the past season. The managers had everything that

could be desired for the entertainment. of their guests. The ladies of the orchestra were loud

in their praise over the manner in which they were entertained. Police Officer Holbrook was on duty

at the main entrance and Officer Hurley at the gallery door. One of the jolliest dancers on the floor was his honor Mayor Page, who was in

nearly every dance until intermission. Not withstanding the inclement weather more tickets were sold at the box office than at any [previous ball given

by the command. One could not help dancing with the excellent music discoursed by the la-

Ex Mayors Tilton and Junkins were prominent among those seen in the

grand march. The duties of the reception commit-

tee were light but were attended to in a most pleasing manner. It was a desuppointment to the com-

mand that the officers and crew of the two Spanish gunboa's were not here to enjoy the festivities.

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ALWAYS A REPUBLICAN.

The late Colonel William O. Sides Portsmouth was a ricturesque figure in the semewhat mixed politics down near the sea; and it can be said to his credit that he was always a Republican and never afraid to say [so. This may not seem very high praise, but to those who know Portsmouth politics as they are, and have been, it is a good deal to the honor of a [man with Colonel Sides's | he thought Dewey day should be requalities of leadership that he maintained his partisanship untainted despite all blandishments.-Concord Monitor.

NINETT PER CENT.

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GILMORE AND HIS MEN.

Ten of Boat Crew Prisoners in Hands of Filipinos.

WASHINGTON, May 1 .- The following cablegram has been received from Admiral Dewey:

"Manua, April 30 .- Apparently reliable information, ten of the Yorktown's boat crew, including Gilmore, are prisoners at insurgent headquarters. Am continuing investigation.

As there were fifteen members of the Yorktown party captured by the Filip day. inos at Baler, and Admiral Dewey accounts for only ten of them, it is feared that the other five have been killed They probably were killed or fatally wounded in the original assault upon the landing party at Baier.

The identity of the members of the party still unaccounted for is not known. A telegram was sent to Admiral Dewey today asking him to inform the depart ment if possible of the names of the men known to be in the hands of the Filipinos.

It is accepted at the department that the reason he has not already furnished these names, with the exception of that of Gilmore, in his dispatch of yesterday's date, was because he did not have the information. The insurgent's headquarters, where Admiral Dewey says the men are held prisoners, is supposed to be San Fernando, but there is no assurance on that point.

GREENLAND

GREENLAND, May 2d. held their banquet in the town hall on Monday evening. Although a heavy thunder shower passed! eyer, there was a goodly number present and we fully believe that to what were present it was an evening that will be long remembered by the members of the association and their guests. The tables set by the lady membdrs flairly groaned beneath their burden of good stuffs and flowers. Duiing the evening, Mrs. E. D. Moulten, in bottles free at Globe Grocery Co's dres behalf of the association, presented their stores every bottle guaranteed. musical director, Mr. Abner Littlefield with a handsome onyx table. To say that Mr. Littlefield was surprised would be putting it very lightly but he recovered himself enough to thank the association with a few well selected words. We sincerely hope that in the future the association will favor us more often with concerts for we believe that there is

Mrs. Alice M. Coleman returned to day. Portsmouth after at week's visit with

her father, Richard Downing. John K. Hatch was in Portsmouth

The writer noticed that in every other

town excepting this one that all the public schools have American flags and float them to the breeze on such days as yes- burg. terday, but the only flags seen here yesterday was at the post office and at the home of Hon. John Hatch and we think it would be a good idea if the inhabitants would show some patriotism for we venture to say that there is not a district school in this town that can boast of owning "Old Glory" or even a flag pole to boist one on.

The writer noticed one old man yesterday who is getting somewhere in the seventies fiting fire crackers, and when asked why he was doing it replied that

membered as well as Fourth of July. Here is an example for some of you young fellows.

The scholars of the high rehool planted two trees yesterday in honorfof Arbor

There was no school in North Hamp

ton yesterday. Mr. Geo. W. Duntley I was in Ports-

month yesterday on business. The postmaster informed me yesterday that he was very much afraid that this town would be visited by some dreadful calamity as one of our local sports attended divine worship on San-

We noticed some men looking over the base ball ground yesterday locating where the trees should be set for our future park, but the writer don't believe trees would live in that soil.

Mr. Charles Brackett has his usual pring's situation with o nursery firm de

Yesterday was a scorcher and the shower of last evening did lots of good towards laying the dust and cooling the

It will go hard with that bloycle rider

f one of our local teamsters catches him

for he will teach him to ring his hell. Mrs. J. D. Norris is spending the eek in Beston, Mass.

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HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

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CITY BRIEFS

Captain Laighton came in from the Shoals on Monday.

J. T. Davidson of York was in town Monday and went to Boston. Keep up your flags in honor of the

arrival of the captured gunboats. The cherry tree in the yard of the residence of the late Washington Freeman on State street blossomed yester

Little Phings Worth Knewing. The parchment of the best banjos in made of wolfskin.

Chinese women have now, it is said taken to bicycling. If the streets of London were put end to end they would reach to St. Petera-

A polyglot magazine, printed in twelve languages, is to be published in

St. Louis. When a fish has lost any of its scales, by a wound or abrasion, they are never

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Tainted Will Attributable to therheating

Shade in pastures, either from trees or sheds, is essential in midsummer to keep the cows from becoming feverishly over-heated to the getriment of the quality of the milk. During my daily deal of tainted milk directly attributable to the over-heating of cows. Keep them as cool as possible and remove all exciting factors, such as driving them to and from the pasture with When it comes to the care of milk,

more prolonged should be your application of hot water in sterilizing milk utensils. Placing the tin milk pans, pails and cans in the sun after washing was formerly thought to have no more influence than simply to dry them. Now it is known that following rigorous scalding a thorough sun bath of all dairy utensils destroys any lurking bacteria that might quickly propagate and ruin milk quality. Ill smells about a cow stable multiply with amazing rapidity during the heated term. With cows milked there twice a day it means a dangerous menace to milk. If you cannot keep the atmosphere of your stable as sweet smelling as that of your pasture, milk the cows in the pasture every time.

Attend to the care of milk as soon as it has been drawn from the cow. To let it stand about in pails to wait convenience is dangerous; to dump a hundred pounds or more of it freshly milked into a narrow can is pernicious. Milk should always be aerated and cooled sufficiently to keep it fresh 12 hours before it is ever stored in bulk. No better way can be devised for tainting fresh milk quickly and effectually than by plunging a vessel of it into cold water. The resulting taint is commonly spoken of as smothered milk. If you do not possess ice you should wet down the floor and walls of you dairy room several times a day with cold water. This will materially aid in keeping the atmosphere of thi partment cool and sweet even during the hottest days.

Desmodium for Hay.

Supposing the seed to have been sown in April, the first cutting may be looked for about the last week of July. If a considerable crabgrass is mixed with it, it will be a benefit rather than otherwise, for the desmodium is apt to the first year, and the crabgrass will help to keep them smaller.

Leave the cut grass about half a day to wilt, then haul to the barn. First place a layer two feet deep on the floor, then lay rails across, resting on the logs-supposing it is a log barn-then another layer of hay, then more rails, and so on to the top of the barn. It will generally keep well, as the layers of hay in drying will shrink down below the rails, leaving air spaces.

Leave the stubble about six inches long, and it will send up shoots at once for the second crop, which will, or may be made, a better one than the first. The stems will be smaller, and the harvesting in September will be in drier weather, when the hay can be secured in better condition.

The first crop may have rather thick stems, some of them perhaps as large as a lead pencil. But if run through a Baldwin fodder cutter and reduced to one-inch lengths, it will be eaten up to the last piece; that is, if cured bright and with its natural sweetness not washed out of it by exposure to rains in having time. The hay may be somewhat dusty; if so, it should be sprinkled a little when fed to horses, but for cattle this is not necessary. Good desmodium hay is worth more than the Northern hay brought down

Sheep on he Clearing. Wherever wood and is cleared a flock of sheep is extren aly valuable to keep the cleared soil it im being overgrown with bushes, weeks and shrubs which usually come up it the following years, says the "Cultivate." It is desirable to get the cleared land in grass as soon as possible. When it is once seeded down it may be pastured with sheep all through the summer, not only without injuring the grass, but positively benefitting it, as the sheep will devote most of their time to trimming down the bushes and eating the leaves which shade the land. To make more thorough destruction of the shrubbery, an excess of sheep should be put in the cleared lot, and these must be fed some

Dorset Horn Breed. We have always been well aware that Dorset Horn breeds will readily give birth to a lamb or lambs in November, and yield another birth the ensuing May or June, but we have heard owners of large flocks of that breed condemn the practice as likely to injure the stamina of the ewes and tend in the end, if much resorted to, rather disadvantageously to the genera' health and well-being of a flock.

grain, so as to make their browse diet

digest better.

Lateral Presente of Ensilage. After ensilage has once settled in the illo, the lateral pressure ceases to be a factor. If then the walls are of authcient rigidity to resist pressure for the first few days the pile will be a suc-

DANGER FROM POTATO ROT.

Because the potato rot was leaf in

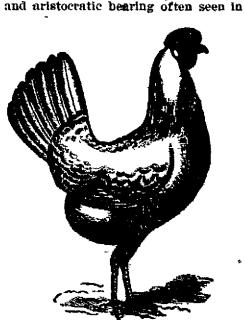
Necessarily So the Next.

a certain field last year, it does not necessarily follow that the same trouble will occur again this year should the field be planted with poix toes. As a tule, rotation in crops is bester than repetition. But the potato rot fungus. Phytophthora infestans is so dependent on weather condinons, that unless these are favorable to its development and destructive power, it cannot be very huriful, it passes the winter in affected tubers. If any slightly affected tubers were left in the ground last fall, they may experience I have encountered a great survive the winter, grow and reproduce in their follage the fungous spores which shall constitute a source of infection. The same is true of any sightly affected tubers that may be

But with cool dry weather the last half of the season, there is little danger from such sources. The few spores hot weather has no terrors for a dairy- that are produced cannot reach man fully prepared and willing to in- the tubers unless there is sufficient telligently combat its deleterious ef- rain to wash them through the soil The hotter the weather the to the tubers, and unless they reach the tubers and actually come in confact with them, they cannot cause rot in them. Such weather is unfavorable also to the rapid multiplication of these fungous spores and the spread of the disease from vine to vine, so that under such circumstances the disease is more easily kept from injuring the vines by spraying them with the proper fut gieldes.

With an abtudance of warm, moist weather after the potatoes have passed the blossom stage, the fungus spreads rapidly, and fields even on new ground are not safe. With frequent and heavy rains in the latter part of the season to wash the spores already on the ground into the soil and carry them down to the tubers, these must necessarily be affected. It is difficult, under such circumstances to prevent injury to the crop either by deep planting, change of field or spraying with fungicides.

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Calf Feeding.

The Iowa experiment station, which has given particular attention to calf feeding, considers oil meal as too nitrogenous, making the ration too parrow except for very young calves Oat meal and corn meal are better to balance the skimmilk after the first four The mixture producing the greatest gain at the least cost was found to be nine parts commeal to one part flaxment, and one pound of this mixture was used to eighteen or twenty pounds of skimmilk to each calf a day, the meal being later increased to two pounds a day. Grade Shorthorns calves thus fed make a gain at least of from one to two cents a pound, the skimmilk being rated at fifteen cents per cwt Started on such a ration the milk was gradually withdrawn after the first one hundred days, and these calves reached an average of 760 pounds when one year old, a gain of 560 pounds in 365 days.

Feeding Values Compared.

An experiment station has found that when corn meal has a feeding value of 100 per cent. when bran has 85 per cent., where middling from 100 to 110 per cent., according to quality, gluten meal 152 per cent, old process linseed meal 135 per cent, and cottonseed meal, 152 per cent For example, when corn is worth 25 cents a bushel, a ton of corn is worth \$9, and a ton of cornmeal counting in the expense of grinding, would be worth \$10. When a ton of cornmeal is worth \$10 wheat ls worth \$8.50, gluten meal, \$15.20; old process oil meal, \$13.50, and cottonseed oil \$15.20

A Queer Mine.

A mine of sheep manure sounds strange to farmers, but there is one which is being worked in Fresno county. California It is a place 150 feet square, where sheep have been yarded for many years in the same enclosure. until the accumulation is about 10 feet deep, the fence having been raised several times to enclose the animals. The rainfall there is but small, and the manure has been troden so hard by the sheep that it has not lost much of its value by leaching. After it is taken out of the groundby machinery, which requires an eighteen-horse power engine to run it, and this reduces it to a powder as fine as dust, it is read-Hy available for agricultural and horticultural nurposes.

The Hoof of the Sheep is Golden. The Southdown is a breed for dry

Successful breeders usually farm good land It is not a question of breed or feed, but one of breed and feed.

It is as great a mistake to overfeed sheep as it to underfeed them. As the ability of the mutton improves, so will the demand increase.

One of the reasons why some mer have such fine healthy sheep is on ac count of the pure spring water that is given them and the high, dry, welldrained land upon which they pasture. ready, which is late in the fall,



Since 1853 the United States Governwent has expended in the distribution of seeds and in the promulgation of statistics concerning them \$3,476,802 The cost of seeds and of statistics on the seed question involves an expenditure now of \$150,000 a year, and all efforts to restrain the activity of bucolic Congressman in this respect have been doomed, it would seem, to disappointment. In consequence, therefore, of this partiality for entailing burdens upon the Treasury, partly for the expenses of the seeds, partly for the employment of distributers, and partly for the expenses of the Post Office Department, which carries them free, a united effort was made this year to put a stop to the practice through the agency of demands made by farmers for other items of State aid.

There was submitted to Congress in January a petition of some Massachusetts agriculturists, who in their memorial declared that as "Congress has been very liberal to the farmers and gardeners in the matter of free distribution of vegetable, flower, grain and grass seed," they were encouraged to ask that this liberality might be extended through another channel, and that \$50,000 be appropriated for the purchase and free distribution, through the Department of Agriculture, of handy small tools which every farmer needs, but which so few possess, such as bits and bit stocks, planes, handsaws, sets of files, wood rasps, spokeshaves, shingling hatchets, and the like, all of which could be transported through the mails."

From Nebraska there has been submitted another protest against the seed distribution, the form of which is

"Seeds are supplied to the people in all sections of our country, the same as sugar, tea and coffee. I can see no reason why the Government should furnish one and not the others. Seeds sent out by the Government go in packages and ofttimes the farmers finds more or less than he can use. When a farmer buys seeds he purchases just what he wants: when he receives them from the Agricultural Department he must take such as may be sent. Besides I do not believe it is the function of our Government to feed or clothe the people."

From the same State the claim is made that the distribution of seeds is not the thoroughly businesslike and

large cities confidently suppose it to be. "Half these seeds," writes a correspondent to his Congressman, "are utterly worthless, and the few of them that you get that grow are just as liable to be onlong from a Government package labelled turnips as not, while geraniums for beets are often met with and clover seed for tomatoes."

Drainage Made Easy.

One of the greatest drawbacks to successful farming operations on thousands of farms is the absence of a thorough system of tile drainage, consequently the early preparation of ground, and the planting of crops, is not only greatly retarded, but the season for growth being also comparatively less, makes them more susceptible to early autumn frosts before maturity. Drain lowest depressions first and continue the work as circumstances permit and never attempt to do a perfect job without the constant use of the level whenever any doubt exists as to the required grade of the ditch. The accompanying illustration shows a very simple, accurate and practical level, working on the principle of a plumb-line. It is 1614 feet long, so that by raising either end one inch and marking the variation in the



PLUMB LINE DEAINAGE LEVEL. plumb one can easily tell when the grade is one inch to the rod. This level can be slid along in the bottom of the ditch, thus keeping a uniform grade of any desired fall.

Apple True Borers.

There are several borers of the apple ree—the flat-headed, which bores under the bark and sometimes into the wood; the round-headed, which bores into the tree, remaining in the larval state three years; the twig borer, which enters just above a bud. Dig out the borers with a sharp knife, or probe into the bores for them with a sharppointed wire. Scrab the trees and aply early in June and July whale oil soap (or soapsuds), with a little carbolic acid added. Burn all twigs attacked. The soapsuds keep the moths off. The digging out of the roundheaded and flat-headed borers must be done effectively. The borers are about an inch long A sharp wire kills them in the tubes made by them.

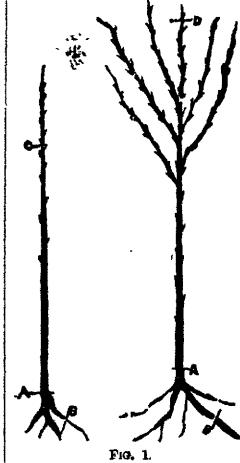
The Couch Pea. The conch pea is a treasure to the

farmer. It is a good fertilizer, which, if followed by sweet potatoes next spring, will make no end of potatoes. For table use, this pea is perfection, and comes at a time when vegetables are scarce. No matter how soon you blant, they will not bear until they got

PLANTING AND PRUNING,

An Omo farmer says he set peach trees last fall without trimming and wants to know when to trim them and if hubs should be out close to body, and asks for illustration by cut, Yes, cut close, leave nothing but a cane of stick as seen in cut-

Peach trees should be trimined when set, but in this case he should trim in



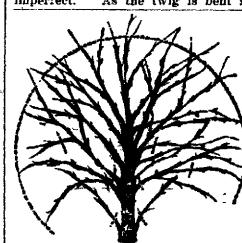
(Left) peach tree pruned to single stalk at setting. Also (right) head forming. A, A, depth to plant. B, A. cutting off injured roots.

March while yet in the dormant state. If they are not frozen they will put forth a new-top. Buckers or sprouts below the proper bead, 3 or 3½ feet high, should be trimmed off.

Peach trees are not classed as hardy and are better in storage houses or heeled in over winter and set in the spring. They are only used to transplant the first season after being budded. First class nurseries do not leave their peach trees out over winter to be dug in the spring, but protect them root and top and they are thus better handled in the early spring. But what are termed hardy trees, such as the apple, plum, sweet and sour cherry and shade trees can be set fall or spring with safety,

Hardy trees are best to transplant when two years old. When raised in proper soil and first class nurseries they are generally headed and in good proportion, therefore easily trimmed. The top shoot is often clipped when a year or two old in order to give a better head as shown by cross-mark at C and D, Fig. 1. Also under-trimmed to make a nice body.

matter-of-fact affair that residents of side and outside the circle, Fig. 2. A device is very ingenious. There is heavy round and compact top can be start it right Nature is perfect and imperfect. "As the twig is bent so



Dotted line and cross marks are suggestions for pruning a compact head. the tree is inclined," hence the betterment by the art of man. A,A, in Fig. I, show depth to plant. B.B. show root pruning of bruised roots,-8. C.

Boiled Corn in Ear.

Nothing can be mare delicious than fresh ears of corn boiled in salt water until just done, then eaten, if the teeth allow, smoking hot and direct from the author of John Bull's being. Althe cob, with a liberal application of most forgotten now by all but the the sweetest butter, salt and pepper. These should be mixed in proper proportions before being applied to the grain, and if put on in small quanti- hristened the British nation in bulk ties, will not make the greasy drip as John Bull in the political strife inthat causes some people to object to kidental to the dismissal of the whig eating corn in this way. Indeed, so Ministry of 1710, when the able and dainty and relishable is the flavor that avaricious Mariborough saw the beginone cannot wonder at the story of the ning of the decline of his brilliant forafter unishing his first ear of green corn gently placed the cob on a plate. and, with a most winning smile and satire on the political events precedbow, extended it and begged the lady of the house to "plaze to put some ten by Artuthnot. In 1704 he was more of those delicious barries upon the shtick.'

Splir from end to end of each row of grains the pulp scraped out with in saving the life of Anne's husband. the back of a strong knife, then cook Prince George of Denmark. He had for about twenty minutes, with a become the Queen's confidential medicouple of tablespoonfuls of water, sea- cal attendant, a position of no mean soned with salt and pepper, and poured hot into a dish containing a piece of butter of suitable size and a depended on the succession to the little fresh cream, corn makes a dish crown, and he was closely in touch that a king might relish

Corn fritters at their best are a delicacy known only to those who can have their garden products from hand to month, as it were. Corn that has remained over night in boxes, barrels, or storehouses, or has been carted of its delicacy, and is dry and chippy,

"Get thy spindle and thy distaft" ready and God will give thee flax," highest standard of excellence attains- tell with the weather glass. ble. Get ready and get there,

A flock of mutton sheep ought to be

NEW DYNAMITE GUN.

The Latest Device for Throwing theil Landed With High Explanion

The newest type of dynamits gun consists of two lubes placed directly one above the other, whereas in the old type there are three tubes placed side by side in the same horizontal plane. The elimination of the third tube means a great saving in the weight of the gun and at the same time it is claimed its effectiveness is increased. It is said that the gun can be fired at least five times in two min-

Of the two tubes the upper is several feet the longer and is smooth hore. It receives the projectile, and the mater ial used in its construction is either brass or steel, the latter being preferable. Within the lower tube there is an inner tube in which the blank cartridge containing seven ounces of smokeless powder is placed. The inner tube opens into the lower tube, which in turn opens into the upper tube through a port immediately behind the projectile. When the projectile is placed in the upper tube and the blank cartridge in the lower, the breeches are closed and the gun is ready for firing. The pulling of the lanyard explodes the smokeless powder, which compresses the air in the tube, and this, pressing into the upper tube through the port, exerts there a pressure of 3,000 pounds to the square inch. This pressure expels the projectile. The air forms a cushion that protects from shock the walls of the shell, and, it is claimed, obviates the danger which would follow from the concussion of the powder were it exploded directly behind the projectile. The entire length of the projectile

used is thirty-four inches. This includes a tail piece about ten inches in length and fitted with a vane set at an angle that insures slow rotation. The body of the shell is a brase cylinder having a conical head containing a fuse. The main body of the shell contains usually a charge of explosive gelatine, although guncotton or any other explosive may be used. The gnition is effected by means of a mechanical fuse, and it is so arranged that the explosion can follow immediately upon impact or may be delayed for as much as six reconds thereafter. When the shell strikes the water or any other object, a small steel ball, acting as a hammer, is driven forward by the sudden retardation of the flight of the shell and strikes one or more percussion caps, causing a detonation. This ignites a tube of powder commualcating with the fulminate of merury, and so explodes successively the guncotton and the main explosive. The luse embodies a device which renders the shell inactive until it has traveled The peach needs some trimming in- it least 300 feet from the gun. This carried on a short, thick body, then, the vane or windmill, which is fastened to a threaded rod running back into the head of the fuse far enough to press on the small steel ball mentioned, and hold it in place. As the projectile passes through the air the olades revolve, and, in revolving, unscrew the threaded rod, and thus release the small steel ball, which is now ready to run forward and explode the

In connection with the firing of the gun there is neither smoke nor noise. it cannot be heard at the distance of one-half mile, nor can any smoke be seen. Thus it would be nearly impossible for sharpshooters or rapid-fire gunners to locate the gun.

How John Bull Got His Name.

Now that John Bull and Uncle Sam are exchanging compliments in such friendly fashion folk are asking where our transatlantic cousin got his name, and very few people can answer the núestion. It is of special interest to note just now that it was inoculated in a story of Spanish affairs.

Dr. John Arbuthnot, one of the many royal physicians to whom the Scotch city of Aberdeen has given birth, was rudite, who remember him as the inlimate of Pope and Swift, Arbuthnot

"The History of John Bull" was a ing the treaty of Utrecht in 1713, writcreated physician extraordinary to the Queen in recognition of his services importance at a time when so much with court life.

"For the better understanding the following history, the reader ought to know that Bull, in the main, was an honest, plain dealing fellow, choleric bold and of a very inconstant temper. about for hours under a broiling sun, He dreaded not old Lewis, either at has parted with the greatest portion backsword, single faichion or cudgel play; but then he was very apt to quarrel with his best friends, especially if they pretended to govern him; if you This has reference to the intelligent flattered him you might lead him like well-directed effort you should be a child. John's temper depended very making to breed up your flock to the much upon the sir; his spirits rose and

"John was quick and understood his business very well; but no man alive found on every farm because they are was more careless in looking into his bound to be profitable as scavengers accounts or more chested by part-

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This Is Admiral Dewey's Cable to Navy Department.

NIXE OF HIS MEN ARE WITH HIM.

Captain Rockieller of Ninth Infantry Probably Also a Prisoner.

Washington, May 1.—The following cable message has been received from **▲dmiral** Dewey:

Manila, April 30, 1899.

Dewey.

Secretary Navy, Washington: Apparently reliabel information 10 of the Yorktown's boat crew, including Gilmore, are prisoners at insurgent headquarters. Am continuing investigation.

This refers to Lieutenant J. C. Gilmore, U. S. N., who was captured when attempting to relieve the Spanish garrison at Baiet, east coast of Luson. In the original party were 15 men, so five may have died.

The men captured or killed were Lieutenant J. C. Gilmore, Chief Quartermaster W. Walton, Coxswain J. Ellsworth, Gunner's Mate E. J. Nygard, Saikmaker's Mate Vandolt, seamen W. H. Rynders and O. W. Woodbury, apprentices D. G. V. A. Venville and A. J. Peterson, ordinary seamen S. Brisolez and O. B. Mc-Donald and landsmen L. P. Edwards, F. Anderson, J. Dillon and C. A. Morrissey.

The war department has received no advices from General Otis since Saturday concerning the conditions in the Philippines. In the two dispatches recelved from him today no mention is made of the negotiations with the insurgents, nor of any fighting.

General Otis reports that Captain Rockfeller of the Ninth infantry has been missing since the 28th of April. Captain Rockfeller was making some investigations about Caloucan and has not been seen since the date given.

Some of his personal papers have been found, about two miles from Caloocan. It is feared that he has been captured by some of the insurgent bands.

TROOPS ENOUGH.

General M. B. Young Gives His Ideas on the Philippine Situation.

Chicago, May 1 .- General M. B. Young, who was in active command near San Juan, and who is now in command of the Second army corps, with headquarters at Augusta, Ga., arrived in the city last night. He comes to attend the May I celebration today.

He said he wished to go to Manila as soon as the Second corps was mustered latter part of the month.

"It looks as it I would be too late to see any fighting," he said; "but I suppose the present course of Aguinaldo is dictated by a desire to secure a respite from the fighting in which his



GENERAL YOUNG.

forces have suffered severely. I am disposed to believe, however, that he has come to the conclusion that it is useless to continue hostilities against our General Young, when asked if he

thought it would be necessary to increase our forces in the Philippines in case of further hostilities, said: "I do not. It seems apparent that we have sufficient troops there now to take care of any forces the insurgents can oppose to us. Our troops have been doing magnificent work, and have been improving steadi-

Speaking of the situation in Cuba, he said, "I am satisfied that the island, in all probability, will be annexed to this country inside of two years. Everything points that way. Among the better classes of the people the sentiment in favor of annexation is steadily growing. "The belief is that permanent stability can only be assured by having the island an integral part of this country. It is only the vicious and vagabond elements that oppose American rule. They do not want orderly conditions to prevall.

AGAINST MOLINEUX. -

New York, May 1.-Justice Bookstaver, in the supreme court today, dismissed the writ of habeas corpus in the case of Roland B. Molineux, accused of the murder of Mrs. Adams, and ordered that the prisoner remain in the Tombs. The grand jury will now decide upon the issuance of another indictment.

WILL BE SHORT STRIKE.

Boston, May 1.-The strike of the journeymen horseshoers of this city and vitinity ordered today by the Horseshoers' union has not reached the proportions anticipated by the union nor by the Manter Horseshoers' association. It now looks as if the journeymen would secure the schedule of wages adopted by the union within a very few days.

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POLICE CAPTAIN ROBBED.

Two Men In a Sleeping Car.

Boston, May 1 .- Police Captain Philemon D. Warren of Brighton was held upand robbed of \$55 in a sleeping car at fering. tached to the Chicago train, 6 high left the Boston and Albany depot at 10.30 o'clock this morning.

Captain Warren is a stocky fellow, and gave the two robbers a terrible battle, sick. and succeeded in holding one, while the second escaped with the booty.

This is only one of the many robberies which have been reported tot the police every day of late, but this one hurt because a police official is the sufferer, and the story was not withheld from the Dewspapers,

Captain and Mrs. Warren were down to the train to see some triends off to Chicago. As Captain Warren walked Bright's disease. through the little alleyway at the entrance to the car between the wall of the smoking room and the outside wall of the car, he saw a slick fellow approaching from the front end of the car. and heard another man close behind him. The men wer "gunning" their intended victim. They closed in upon him when they got him in the middle of the alley, brice's pharmacy on Congress street. I The man in front and facing the captain | was taken ill at once with a severe pain |

the captain. Captain Warren is a wide-awake and able police official, and he was instantly awake to his danger. He grabbed both men instantly. The one in front he held When I read about Doau's Kidney Pills firmly, though he put up a heroic and

bitter fight for his liberty. The captain held rirmly to the man in the rear, though he only had a hold upon his overcoat. The man in front slipped the money to his confederate in the rear during the fight. The man in the rear slipped out of his overcoat and jumped through the crowds in the depot. Captain Warren held on to his first man, and turned him over to Patrolman Maaury of division 4, who brought him to police headquarters.

The police say he is a bad man, and His Physician Says Ex-Governor Has the leader of the cleverest mob of New York pickpockets that ever went out to work the country. They have been working Boston for weeks and months past, and the police have had numerous complaints daily, but they have been unable to apprehend the fellows.

Last Saturday they took \$150 from a man in the Boston and Albany depot and escaped. Yesterday they succeeded in doing several successful jobs.

The man who escaped left his overcoat behind him. It was a worthless thing and is probably a "hand down" and was used for the purpose for which it admirably served its wearer today.

When Patrolman Masury was taking the prisoner away he asked, "Who is the guy who but up such a holler?" The patrolman replied, "Why, that is

Captain 'Phil' Warren from Brighton." "Police captain?" asked the prisoner in astonishment. "Yes," said the officer.

"A country fly cop," said the thief, with added astonishment.

"Holy gee, but that's a joke on me. The other fellow got away with the stuff. out, which he thought would be by the and is laughing at me now, and I am here.'

Harvay was arraigned in court, and the case was continued until next Wednesday.

TROOPS UNDER ARMS.

Walting for Notice to Go to Idaho to Quell Wardner Riot.

San Francisco, May 1.—The troops at the Presidio are practically under arms, and ready at a moment's notice to respond to the call of Governor Stuenberg of Idaho, to assist in quelling the riot at Washner and preserving order.

Adujtant General Babcock has received a dispatch from General Miles, notifying him that General Merriam of the department of Colorado has been



GENTRAL R. C. MERRIAM.

placed in command of all troops ordered to the scene of the troubles, and instructed to call for reinforcements without regard to department lines.

General Babcork was further ordered to inform the post commanders in this department to hold all troops ready to respond to any call that General Mertem might make, at a moment's notice A special train may be called at once. Orders to that effect were also sent.

ALLEN HOUSE BURNED.

Andover, Mass., May I .- The old Allen homestead on Woburn street, Ballardvale, purchased a year ago by Captain Bennett Ives, was destroyed by fire soon after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Captain Ives and his two daughters lost nearly all their furniture and personal effects, including a valuable plane, considerable lewelry and a rare collection of relics from all parts of the world. gathered by the captain during 30 years of sea life.

SOLD TO BOSTON SYNDICATE.

Joplin, Mo., May 1.-Eighty acres of rich mineral and land near Aurora, Mo., have been sold to a Boston syndicate for \$500,000. This land embraces the Tuttle mine and other hig sine producing to misery. Doan's Ointment oures. At at Parker's, this afternoon, an illustratproperties

THE LARGER HALF.

Captain Warren Has a Lively Time With The Same in Portsmouth as Else where.

> The bigger half of worldly trouble. The greater part of mankind's suf-Can safely be laid to the kidneys. Kidneys filter the blood.

But they can't do this when they're Easy to tell sick kidneys. Look to the back for the note of warn-

Keep the human system healthy.

Most backache pains are kidney ills. Twitches, twinges, pains and aches of a bad back.

Should be treated promptly. Every days delay means future Uninary complications set in, diabetes,

Doan's Kidney Pills are kidney specia-Proof of this in Portsmouth testi-

Mr. John Logan, of No. 7 Rock street. says:— "I never had any trouble with a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Phitquickly and slickly slipped his hand into | in the loins and it kept up a constant the captain's inside pocket and pulled aching. Often it was so sore that it his pocketbook, containing \$35, while the | took my breath away to straighten up man in the rear jostled and partly held after bending forward, and my head reeled or I was seized with dizziness that almost obscured my vision. I brought the trouble on me by lifting heavily, and I did not expect to ever git rid of it I thought I would try them. Before I had taken the whole box I began to feel better. Soon the pain left for good and I have not bad the slightest indication of a return.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agenta out of the car, and made his escaps for the U.S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

ALTGELD VERY SICK.

Fought His Last Political Battle.

Chicago, May 1.-Ex-Governor John P. Altgeld has fought his last political battle, according to information furnished by Dr. Nicholas Senn.

"The ex-governor is certainly a very sick man, and it seems true beyond all question that he has fought his last political fight," said Dr. Senn last night. "In addition to his illness, which is in itself serious, the ex-governor, I am sorry to say, is completely broken down in spirit, and is despondent to the last degree.

"Not that I want to be understood as saying that the defeat sustained by Mr. Altgeld at the Chicago election, a few weeks ago, has wrought this discouragement from which he is now suffering. On the contrary, he seems to have lost no faith in his political fortunes or the triumph of the principles with which his name has been inseparably associated. "The chief cause of his despondency

is his realization of the fact that his present illness is but a development of



his old ailment, locomotor ataxia. In this knowledge, which has had an unusually depressing effect upon him, is the great danger.

"If the governor could be induced to look upon the cheerful side of life and take an extended trip for rest and change of scene, he may be benefitted. In any case, it is clear he can never again be a strong man, or sufficiently restored to health to wage another political fight.

"His case is extremely bad, as he cannot be persuaded to believe there is any hope for his recovery from his attack. Still, unless complications set in, he he may linger longer than any one would

Mr. Senn said that Mr. Altgeld's despondency, as well as the hard work he has recently been doing, has brought on a state of physical collapse which can only be described as complete nervous prostration.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Dr. Charles Jewett, professor of obstetrics and pediatrics at the Long Island college hospital, Brooklyn, was appointed by the trustees of that institution to be president of the faculty, which place was made vacant by the resignation of Dr. Alexander J. C. Skene.

Amelia Hoffman and Mrs. Anna Deitrich were arrested at Lawrence, Mass., charged with shoplifting. A search of their homes and that of another woman believed to be implicated resulted in the recovery of \$1000 worth of dry goods, thought to have been stolen,

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathar clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all im purities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly billous complexion by taking Cascarets,—heavity for ten cents. All drug gists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Bennty is Blood Deep.

For Over Fifty Years

Mas. Wirslow's Scothing Sysup has been used for children tecting. It would the child softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colle and in the best remedy for Discrious."

Terrible plagues, those itching, pratering diseases of the skin. Put an end any drug store.

IT-WAS DEWEY-DAY

Boston Bedecked In Honor of the Hero of Manila.

"OLD GLORY" SEEN EVERYWHERE.

Secretary Long and Several Naval Heroes Dined by Patriotic Societies.

Boston, May L-This is Dewey day. Throughout the broad land the initial battle of the Spanish war is being commemorated. In Boston, patriotic citigens have not overlooked the opportunity to fittingly honor the greatest naval victory of the war, and today the flag of the nation floats from a thousand homes, offices and public buildings.

In the familiar endeavor to "Rememmy kidneys until just before I obtained ber the Maine," the battle of Manila hay has not been forgotten. The hero of a twelvemonth ago today yet lives in the mind of the unforgetting American. His picture peers today from between folds of tri-colored bunting in street and store, and behind the plate-glass of display windows. And in Boston, the executive officer of Dewey's flagship, the commander of a warship that fought at Manila, and the "war" secretary of the navy are present to tell the story of the memorable victory in the antipodes. The stranger in town who rose with

the sun this morning heard the ringing of a church bell, ushering in the anniversary morn. From his hotel window he saw the folds of "Old Glory" slowly awaying in the breeze of spring. And up and down the street he spied its duplicate, hundreds of them, making the thoroughfares resplendant in a moving mass of color. Now and then, in the coat lapels of those who remembered, he noted the somewhat faded bountonnieres of red, white and blue, resurrected from the store of patriotic emblems that blossomed galore a year ago.

Flags, flags everywhere! From the staffs of the swellest of Back Bay clubs down to the humble pedestal of the bootblack, the symbol of universal liberty flaunted in the face of the passer-by its red of blood which bought victory, its white of honorable peace, and its blue of stanchest loyaltq. The badge of the patriot is the same, whatever be his state or station.

The great business houses of the retail district are among the foremost in the display of anniversary souvenirs. Several of these have trimmed their windows in appropriate colors, and the picture of the only United States admiral of today is seen in nearly every flag-embowered nook and cranny of the display. Down in the wholesale district the

narrow streets are darkened by the shadows of hundreds of mammoth emblems-the same that a year ago were new flung to the breeze to the accompaniment of oratory and band music. On the public buildings of the city the flag of the free is displayed, in many



propriate emblems of the navy. City hall floats its flag, as usual on semiholidays, and the same is true of every

one of the public schools buildings. Pupils of all grades in public schools devoted the day to proper celebration of the events of a year ago. Teachers gave a resume of the historic battle-from memory-with an appendix in "The Star Spangled Banner," lustily sung by

patriotic Young America. The federal building is topped by the stars and stripes, and the custom house boasts a similar display. Down in the harbor the ships of all nations are dressed in the many colored flags and pendants and ensigns and emblems and streamers which bespeak the anniversary day-tributes to the one central figure—the American hero of the hour.

Over in the navy yard, groups of grayhaired naval officers and the younger "jackies" review the incidents of a year ago, many of them regeretting that they, too, were not on duty in the Pacific, albeit they served the nation quite as effectively in the vicinity of Santiago. At the masthead of that venerable old craft the Wabash flies the flag of the rear admiral and the full regalia of holiday "dress" is displayed from stem to atern.

In a few of the clubhouses and in some of the hotels, honored naval veterans of Be Spanish war were entertained roday by patriotic Bostonians. Among these were Captain Robley D. Evans of the Iowa, that participated in the Santiago engagement: Captain Frank Wildes of the Boston, which fought at Manila; Lieutenant Corwin P. Recs, executive officer of the Olympia, Dewey's flagship, and Lieutenant Commander F. F. Wilmer, who commanded the monitor Monadnock, which was dispatched to the aid of Dewey after the battle.

All these spoke at the banquet of the Essex club at Young's this afternoon, as well as Secretary Long, who was among the invited guests. They also, some of them at least, were at the banquet of the Pine Tree State club at the Brunswick this evening. .

clude a number of exercises by various patriotic and social clubs during the afternoon and evening. Among such were a reception of the Daughters of the American Revolution,

of lecture in Association hall by two

Other celebrations of Dewey day in-

veterans of the Philippine campaign, a reception by the Massachusetts Society SUNDAY WAS QUIET TRUNCKED of the United States Daughters of 1812, in the afternoon, at their Allston clubveterants of the Philippine campaign, a house, a concert by the Episcopal city mission in Charlestown this evening, and All Stores In Havana Closed a grand military celebration in the evening by the Salvation ary.

IN NEW YORK.

Guns Boomed and Flags Waved In Honor of Manila Hero.

ing smiled upon a rejoicing nation. The first of the nation's newest and proudest anniversaries opened auspiciously. Glorious was the birth of "Dewey day."

Officially speaking, New York took no cognizance of the day. For reasons of order for the closing of all stores, exhis own, Mayor Van Wyck would not cept cafes, drug stores and bakeshops. Steaks, Chops, Oyste nihilated a bravely fighting fleet without losing a single man.

Scarcely had the sun begun to peep over the low hills of Long Island when guns in all the forts spoke, and the folds of the biggest, handsomest flags were shaken to the breeze, as "Old Glory" over the city.

throng pouring across the Brooklyn the stores. hridge this morning on its way to work. Half of the men and nine-tenths of the women wore some decoration. Then came the army of school chil-

the day. Many of them were laden with prevailed under Spanish rule. important missions—essays with rounded periods of resounding orations or sweet songs. Not a school in all the city but had its flag unfurled and its Dewey program, for delivery at Pinar del Rio, Sagua, Caiprincipals and teachers had responded barien, Matanzas and Cardenas. In the

with alacrity to President Little's wise latter two cities he merely perfected the suggestion that the most valuable lesson | work already begun. In the other three possible would be a lesson in patriotism | places he abolished the Spanish system. inspired by the events of May 1, a year ago today The harbor was a beautiful sight.

everything affoat seemed to have done greatly pleased with the change. its best to remember its big brother. Dress ship" was the order everywhere. Not only the men of war in the pavy yard, but the army transports and the to improve the mail zervice there, and American merchant marine flung out will return to Havana in two weeks. He their rainbow loops of bunting. Many will then superlutend the reorganizaforeign vessels joined in the display. The | tion of the delivery system here, which small craft which does not possess a flag at present is not giving the best satislocker nevertheless flung out what bunt- faction. ing it possessed, and the New York sloops and tugs, and even the dormant barges and canal boats, managed to scrape up some sort of an adornment

IN SAVANNAH.

Savannah, May 1.—The patriotic people of Savannah ushered in Dewey day this morning in a frenzy. At 5 o'clock there was a loud ringing of church bells and fire alarms, and on the river front joined in the rejoicing. There has not better than the Spaniards. been such a demonstration since the first Yesterday's Gaceta Official published liberty pole was raised here in the last century. People got but of bed at 5 tions from Washington, prohibiting the o'clock in the morning to give a cheer in importation of arms into the island. Dewey's honor. The chimes of St. John's Only well-known merchants can import church, which are the most famous in hunting weapons or arms for personal Georgia, jingled out "America," "Yan- defence, and even they are subject to kee Doodle" and other patrictic airs. The strict supervision by the custom house. firebells kept up a continuous ringing The order will stop the importation of for something like 10 minutes. Among rifles for unknown purposes. the whistles heard above all the din and General Brooke has asked General Goclatter of its fellows was one on a local mez to meet him today at the Salon trotug which was captured from the Cris- cha to arrange for the distribution of had cut her down in Santiago harbor. States for the Cuban soldiers. General There is no longer any doubt about the south look upon Dewey day. It is to be a great yearly event in this section.

THREE PERSONS INJURED.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., May 1.—By the pre mature discharge of a cannon used in the celebration of Dewey day, three persons were badly injured. They were: Unknown boy, badly burned and cut; Jerry Conway, three fingers blown off, and James McGee, arm torn off. Mc-Gee displayed remarkable nerve: He picked up his arm and carried it to a railroad hospital car. The cannon was heavily loaded with powder and stones

ONE DOLLAR BANQUET.

Chicago, May 1.—The committee of ar rangements having in charge the \$1 banquet similar to the affair recently given in New York, has decided to hold it on May 20, under the auspices of the Carter H. Harrison Unionist league, a semi-political organization formed for the purpose of aiding Mayor Harrison in his recent campaign. It is understood that Colonel William Jennings Bryan and Mayor Harrison have already accepted invitations to speak.

AID IS ASKED.

Kirksville, Mo., May 1.-Cal Little; a victim of Thursday's tornado, succumbed yesterday to his injuries, as did also Paul Beeman, a child. This makes the number dead 33. Mayor Hoonan sent a message to Governor Stephens last night asking him to issue a proclamation in behalf of the sform sufferers. Twentyfive thousand dollars will be needed during the next two weeks to prevent suffer-

THE STOCK MARKET. Leading Quotations In the New York

Boston and Maine......185

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and Boston Markets. Boston, March 22 - . n the outside market cal money is quoted at 4 @ # per cent and time money is nominally 6 per cent. arook crosings.
Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe...... 20

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Missouri Pacific...... 47% Northern Pacific prof...... 70%

by General Ludlow.

New York, May 1.—The sun this morn- Sandits Appear in Peurle Principe and Are Committing Many Outrages.

Havana, May 1.-General Ludlow's

celebrate. But 3,000,000 patriotic human after 10 o'clock Sunday morning was vigbeings within the confines of this city orously enforced yesterday by the police did something to honor the hero of May and American soldiers. At many places 1, the man who changed the map of the it was not anticipated that force would Anything You Want it say to world before dinner a year ago, who an- be used in compelling obedience to the order, and no preparations were made to obey it. Many of the storekeepers here live in their stores, and they insisted that if they were compelled to close OPEN FROM 6 A. M. UNTIL MIDNIGHT. they would smother for lack of air, butthe police were persistsent in enforcing was run up the halliards in honor of the order, and all yielded without any George Dewey. As if in answer to a serious dispute. Many merchants, howcommand a million flags followed suit all ever, say the conditions are not such as prevail in the United States, and that it It was interesting to see the great is an injustice to compel the closing of

The order was the result of petititons addressed to General Ludlow by thousands of clerks, who had vainly sought from the shopkeepers a respite from a dren, and they, too, were bedecked for week of seven days' work, which always

D. F. Dolan, the special agent of the postoffice department, has just returned from a trip into the country. He has been engaged in establishing a free mail where 3 cents was charged for each letter delivered. The letter carriers now get \$350 a year in gold, which is more than From the navy yard to Sandy Hook they formerly received. The people are

Mr. Dolan will go on Tuesday to Clenfuegos and afterward to Trinidad, Sancti Spiritus and other cities in that section

Since November, 307,903 tons of sugar cane have been ground. A dispatch from Puerto Principe says

that bandits have appeared in the outskirts of the city, where they sacked a store, kidnapped the proprietor and his wife and committted other outrages. In Verdad, an important newspaper of Puerto Principe, which is backed by the Cuban element, publishes a strong article against the American government in Cuba, especially because it does not the steam whistles of the water craft protect proprietors against bandits any

an order from Colonel Bliss, by instruc-

tobal Colon after the American squadron, the \$3,000,000 donated by the United Brooke is not satisfied with the list of way the people of Savannah and the the Cuban army furnished to him, and thinks that the number of men can be very materially reduced. General Gomez will submit to General Brooke the plan for a rural guard as drafted by the Cuban generals' junta.

LANDLORD RESCUED.

Claremont Hotel of Rockland Badly Damaged by Morning Fire.

R. kland, Me., May 1.—Claremont hotel. a large four-story building on the corner of Claremont and Masonic streets was bedly damaged by fire and water at 4.30 this morning.

When discovered by a passerby the flames appeared to be confined to the laundry in the southwestern corner of the buildings, but were spreading rapidly. When the department arrived smoke was issuing from every window in the building. Flames soon made their appearance in other portions of the building. The department rendered prompt and effective service, however, and the Street and Raynes' Ave. fire was fairly drowned out.

The hotel, which is mainly used for summer boarders, was to be opened May 20. It was unoccupied, save by the landlard. Chester S. Pease, who awoke to find his room filled with smoke. He made his way to the veranda, where he was rescued by means of a ladder. None of the furniture was saved.

The building was insured for \$4000 and the furniture for \$2500.

STRIKERS GO TO WORK.

Providence, May 1.—The Pontiac mills, owned by Robert Knight, started up full-handed this morning, the strikers having voted last week to go back to work today. The Royal and Valley Queen mill weavers of Riverpoint voted Or call him by telephone 18-3 last Saturday not to go to work today: yet some of the operators at these mills who wished employment called upon the superintendents yesterday and asked that the machinery be started up today. Accordingly the gates were opened and the bells rung at the usual hour this morning. Enough weavers responded to start up 100 looms, and this noon a break in the runk of the strikers is expected, and with it the collapse of the tast remnant of the big strike which was inaugurated at the Pawtuxet Valley on

QUARANTINE SEASON. New York, May 1.-The quarantine

season opened in full force this morning. Health Officer Doty, by arrangement with the quartermaster's department, Tobacco..... be dinfected, and passengers not im-the completion of the period of five days after leaving the port of departure

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TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1899.

Did you put your flag out on Monday? If you did not remember it in

The candidates for postmaster are off for a lively, and let us hope a good-natured, race.

Dowey should have arrived home on yesterday in order to see how his peo ple love him.

Senator Chandler's warning regardthe country.

The Herald's aunouncement on Monday evening that the North Atlan- from Spain to the United States an em tic squadron would visit here this sum- pire of the islands the Pacific. mer was a choice bit of news.

That was a ringing address delivered by Secretary of the Navy John D. Long before the Essex club at Boston pines, and shared in the victory, the on Monday evening. He handled the question of the Philippines in a most country today.

house, and set it down on a more sightly site. 200 yards distant from the point of embarkation, the family being at dinner and undisturbed by their little whirl. We may look out ered its second wind. When it comes around the next time the house will tender as American women. probably be of bricks. Alabama modnot spoken since-but her eyes always blaze like blazes and shine with the intensity of an arc lamp just before a thunder storm. Georgia peeps in and exhibits a Macon woman who. in breaking an egg to make a pudding, ended at an early stage the career of the people I think criticism of those in der for bugs and currants, and three make the impression more arousing, it bay to the end of the fight.

vender. There are others.

To one who pays attention to the matter there is great interest in the amazing growth of fraternal insurance. The popularity of the system was not neglected by the fraternity of fraud. That guild neglects nothing that promises profit. A late issue of the Workman treating the subject in great de- pitch into those who run them. A hard tail gives the growth of all the leading name now and then or an exaggerated associations, some of which are really phenomenal. The benefits paid aggre- much like a debate in congress, where gate an enormous sum. There are over two members of that august body seem 6,000,000 people now carrying fraternal to flay each other and then shake hands policies. The A. O. U. W., which is 30 years old, has 370,000 policies in force; the Foresters, less than 25 years old, has about 112,000 policies out, with a reserve fund of \$2,500,000. The \$700,000. The average age of initiates is close to 30 years. There are some important features yet undetermined by the experience of these organizations; the question of grading assessments according to age and the question of reserve funds, with others that are less vital.

In Silence. "Tell ms," pleaded the artiess maid. "wherein lies the secret of the art of

ecoversation!" of imparting windom, and said:

"My child, listen!" "I am listening!" breathlessly she

DEWEY DAY.

Boston, Mass., May 1st.—The Essex club celebrated Dewey's victory today by a banunet at Young's hotel. The club entertained Secretary Long, two heroes of the Manila fight, Captain Wilde of the Boston, and Lient. Com- It is Not Natural For Man or Woman mander Rees, formerly executive officer of the Olympia, Lieut. Commander Selfridge, formerly of the Puritan and Lieut Commander Wilder of the Monadnock. Captain Evans of the Iowa, was unable to be present. The specehes were strictly of a naval character, Admiral Dewey being the theme.

Secretary of the Navy John D. Long was greeted with tremendous applause when he arose, and said in opening:

In behalf of the navy I thank the

Essex club for celebrating this day. which is one of the most conspicuous in naval annals, and in paying its tribute of respect and admiration to the most conspicuous naval hero of recent times. I cannot claim him, however, for the navy alone. Nor can I claim that your plaudits are solely on account of his naval distinction. By his display of large powers of administration, by his poise and prudence, and by his great discretion, not only in act, but also in word, which is almost more important, he has proved himself a great representative citizen, as well as a great naval hero. In the cluster of military celebrities of the recent war Dewey easily stands at the front. No man ever faced a more crucial test than when, a year ago this morning, thousands of miles fram home, with every foreign port in the world shut to him. nothing between him and annihilation but the thin sheating of his ships, his cannon and his devoted officers and men, he moved upon the enemy's batteries on shore and on sea with that unflinching faith and nerve which someing the trusts has been picked up by times fail other men even of courage many of the party leaders throughout and spirit, and, before the sun was half way up the heavens, had silenced the guns of the foe, sunk the hostile fleet, demonstrated the supremacy of the

I thank you, also, for your courtesy in inviting to your board so many officers of the United States navy, whom I am honored to meet. Some of them served with distinction in the Philipanniversary of which you celebrate. Among them is one of the famous heroes of the great naval battle off Santi- old age. If there is any case where this able and forcible manner. Secretary ago, where the faithful and consumis not accomplished, we will refund the Long is one of the ablest orators in the mate preparations of our other Com- cost of the medicine in every instance. mander in-Chief resulted, after a month's blockade, in another victory equally brilliant. As the commander Somerville, Mass., writes: "I have been The South appears to be booming of the lows, already distinguished for confined to my house most of the winfreaks just now. At Oxford, North that courage which was illustrated ter. Tried cod liver oil, could not take Carolina, a cyclone transported afresh that day, Captain Evans added it. I would indeed rather finish my through the air a two-story frame to his laurels by the tenderness of his treatment of the vanquished, which af days in bed than take into my stomach terwards found expression in those anything that has such a horrible taste memorable words of his report: "I cannot express my admiration for my magnificent crew. So long as the enemy showed his flag, they fought like every day; and I am again eating and

American sea power and transferred

My only regret is that we cannot estly enters leading by her apron have with us all the other brave hestrings a woman who was struck by roes who participated in those great lightning without knocking a spawl off events. They would include not only her cheek. The encounter occurred the officers on the decks, but the men seven years ago and the woman has behind the guns. May we not, however never mentioned it—in fact, she has say, that, though not present in person, they are all here in our hearts, our affection and our gratitude.

His closing remarks were as follows: dom of speech. There are occasions American Union he lives. when those in official position are expected to be reserved. But among eyes always on the lookout for pro- is sometimes necessary to talk louder and say more than is necessary to en force the idea intended. Our navel friends here must admit that, with all their claim for accurate marksmanship and good gunnery, they fired shots enough at the Spanish fleet off Santiago to sink fifty ships, and were lucky it one shot in a dozen took effect. I have no doubt it is all right for those who do not like the way things are run to term does no great harm. It is very when they meet outside, and find the cuticle unbroken. No great harm, I

say, will be done so long as the great public make the proper discount, On the other hand, in all good nature, when we really get down to busi-Woodmen, seven years old, has 120,000 ness, let us not be too immoderate, too members, and has paid death benefits exacting, or too denunciatory. Let us sheekle or fetter on any Filipino, nut valid. Only 50 cents at Globe Grocery so much as a cotton twine string around Co. bis ankles. You may be sure that it is The sage assumed the attitude he more sager to stop bloodshed and sewest to assume when in the act | cure peace than you are, because it has | when all other preparations fail to do

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it. I would indeed rather finish my and smell. Then I took Vinol, and I can say I am gaining flesh and strength for this item again, when it has gath- American seamen, but when the flag sleeping as a well man should. I feel came down they were as gentle and like a boy again."

the light of the new world and be se upon the way to the enjoyment of the same liberties, the same progress, the same education, the same homes, the same government, the same large, generous, happy life which is now the heritage of every American "I am one of those who believe in free-citizen in whatever part of the great

Commander Rees spoke very elo quently of Admiral Dewey and recited a chick with four legs. Texas weakly power is often useful and good, even if a number of incidents of the famous batattempts to rival Georgia by cackling not wholly warranted-as well as the as seen from the bridge of the and clucking about a Galveston woman praise. It never troubles me that it is Olympia. Captain Wilde read a very own hennery a chicken in good health travagance of speech. I have lived excellent story of the fight from the Boshaving two beaks in good working or- long enough to know that in order to ton from the time the fleet left Mirs

BASE BALL

The following is the result of the National league base ball games played

Baltimore 1, Boston 0; at Baltimore. Washington 6, Brooklyn 7; at Wash-

Pittsburg 5, St. Louis 7; at Pittsburg. New York 8, Philadelphia 8; at New York. Game called at end of tenth inning on account of darkness.

Cleveland 5, Louisville 4; Cleveland 1, Louisville 2. Woods did not pitch in either game.

No Right to Ugliness

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have to heirs amounting to \$1,500,000; the bear in mind that it is much easier for friends, but one who would be attract Maccabees, 16 years old, with 275,000 the fellow who has no responsibility to ive must keep her health. If she is members, has paid to beneficiaries, tell what ought to be done, and not to weak, sickly and all run down she will be put to the test of doing it than it be nervous and irritable. If she has has for the fellow who has the respon- constinution or kidney trouble, her imsibility to be put to the test of deciding pure blood will cause pimples, blotches, and doing what ought to be done. You skin eruptions and a wretched comcertainly may be sure of one thing, that plexion. Electric Bitters is the best the administration is just as humane medicine in the world to regulate and just as eager to do right as any man stomach, liver and kidneys and to puri or woman in Massachusetts and that fy the blood. It gives strong nerves, is the highest standard I know of on bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, rich all this footstool. You may be sure that complexion. It will make a good lookit has not the least idea of putting any ing charming woman of a run-down in-

> People say Hood's Sarsaparilla cures to bear the responsibility. You may be any good, and you run no risk in giv-aure that it will do everything it can to ing it a fair trial.

> carry the blessings of our own civilization to those islands of the sea, and that A little life may be sacrificed to a sudits highest ambition will be fulfilled if through its efforts the people there den attack of cronp, if you don't have emerging from the oppression and dark. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand for ness of centurics shall come out into the emergency.

LIVING OCEAN TRAPS.

Monster Clams that Catch Their Prey in Viselike Skells-A Case on Record.

In South Pacific waters are found some of the largest sheds known. One is a charlike shell, with hure ribs called the tridacna, one valve Drag Through Life Without which has been known to weigh 250 woulds. The meat alone weighed twerty-five or more pounds, and a sinthe annual, if served on the half-shell, would afford a good meal for rifty nea. The tridacna has the hab : of hous with its valves partly open, as bough to trap some unwary traveler. It has earned an unsavory regulation, and is considered an animal to be avoided, unless means are at hand to render it harmless,

The attention of white men was first attracted to this trap when a party of offectors were rowing over the reef in search of rare corals. They suddealy saw a large fish beating the surther violently with its head out of the water. As they drew near they saw that the fish was a large shark, which had been caught in a living trap. Its tail or the lower lobe, was held securely by a giant shell, the tridacua, the strong and powerful mollusk clinging to it with a viselike grasp. There is a case on record of a man

baving been entrapped in a similar way. He was an American collector, cutamiliar with the reef and its strange inhabitants, and seeing what h · surposed to be a great green seal premone, he attempted to grasp it, out the anemone disappeared, and like t vise the edges of the shell clamped the wrist of the unfortunate collector, who, to his horror, found himself anchored in a stooping position by his

The tide was rising, not a person was it sight, and there was apparently no possible chance of escape. The collector, fortunately, had a knife. and, almost crazed by the pain, he beran an attack on the shell, but every thrust he made only caused the powe: ful animal to clasp him closer and closer and add to his agony. It was impossible to cut around the shell, the tock being too hard, and the only thing to do was to wait and hope that the shell would relax and permit him Men, women and children, who drag to jerk his hand out. Seconds seemed minutes and minutes hours. The water was rising higher and higher, a ceptle breeze had sprung up, and waves began to form that threw the water against the captive. He had stout determined upon a terrible alternative—to cut off his hand to have his life—when the shell visibly relaxed its hold, and with a quick jerk he pulled out the maimed and helpless memer, and turned in shore.

Trick of a Pickpocket.

Lady Bulwer sat for her portrait in Bath, and the artist was commenting on the beauty of the sitter's eyes. which, if contemporaneous evidence is worth anything, were indeed magnificent. That started Landor on the subject of eyes. He insisted that green were the most "woonderful"-he always pronounced the word with a double o. In support of his argument he told the following story: "It so happened that when I was a young man at Venice I was standing in the doorway of the Cafe Florian one day, watching the pigeons on the Piazza San Marco, when an old gentleman rushed up to me and said, 'Pardon me, sir, but will you allow me to look into your eyes? Ah, I thought so! Sir. you have green eyes! I never saw but one pair before, and they belonged to the late Empress Catherine of Russia; they were the most wonderfully beautiful eyes in the world.' I have reason," continued Mr. Landor, "to remember this, for while the old gentleman was examining my eyes I had my pocket picked."

How Senator Vest Obtained His Desk Many good stories could be told of the alertness which Senators display in securing well-placed desks, but the experience of Mr. Vest is especially worth relating. When, in 1883, the civil service law was being discussed. Mr. Pendleton, an Ohio Democrat, and Mr. Dawes had presented bills. By a shrewd bit of politics the Republicans abandoned their support of the Dawes bill and voted for Mr. Pendleton's measure, their votes, together with the votes of the Democrats favorable to the measure, being sufficient to pass it. As the bill was about to be voted on, Mr. Cockrell moved that its title be changed so as to read: "A bill to retain Republicans in office." As soon as it passed Mr. Vest filed a claim for Mr. Pendleton's seat. "The author of such a bill," said he, "will never come back to the Senate."

Mr. Vest was right, and at the beginning of the next Congress he moved into Mr. Pendleton's vacant chair,

Paint on Glass.

It sometimes happens that a careless painter daubs the glass of the window at which he is working. It is quite difficult to remove these spots, and ordinary soap and water makes no impression. While the paint is still fresh tur-pentine will take it off readily, or boiling vinegar if applied hot enough. When everything else fails, the spots sometimes yield to oxalic acid in strong solution, or to an application of almost pure lye. The last two remedies need caution. Oxalic acid is through cracks in the fingers.

How Sound Travels.

The whistle of a locomotive can be heard 3,300 yards, the noise of a train 3,800 yards, the report of a musket and the bark of a dog 1,800 yards, the roll of a drum 1,600 yards, the croak of a in the sile, of 83 cents a ton. The yield frog 900 yards, a cricket chirp 800 yards, a dinner boll two miles, and a call to get up in the morning 3 feet 7 inches.

In a Bad Wav The Irish foreman was very much agitated. He rushed over to the machinist too excited to talk.

"Come quick to the motor?" cried the foreman. "It's rapidly stopping!"-Philadelphia North American.

VETERINARY. .

Some Diseases of the Animal and Treat ment They should Receive.

What to do to cure roup is the most frequent question. Roup include: many forms of disease, among them being those of a tubercular nature When we can cure consumption, aschma, bronchitis and catarrh in human be ings then may an inquiry be made it regard to curing roup. And then the remedy. When a member of the fam ily is sick doses of medicine are giver frequently-perhaps every fifteen minutes-yet there may be no cure. In the face of this fact the inquiry comes for a remedy that requires in its use or application labor that could not possibly be bestowed on fowls. The oftrepeated explanation of "I give the fowl the remedy and it did no good" is excusable, as it is just as impossible to cure a fowl with a single dose of medicine as it is to expect a sick mar to get up and walk with the same treatment. When a contagious disease appears in the flock, get rid of the flock if the disease does not soor disappear, as it may be waste of time labor and money to battle with it.

A horse's legs swell when standing in the stable. Rub the legs well with the hands twice a day. Mix 4 oz. sulphate of iron and 4 oz. of nitrate of potassium, divide it into 24 doses and give him one morning and night in a bran mash. If he has scratches, mix up a little linseed meal with hot water and poultice the heels with it. Change the poultice once a day and continue it for a week, then mix 1 ox. oxide of zinc with 2 oz. vaseline and apply a little to the parts once a day.

Someone's cow used to give her milk very freely, but for 10 days she will only give a few quarts and holds up the rest of it. The udder seems as full as usual. Some cows get into this habit. The best method is to give the cow a bran mash to eat during milking. There is a possibility that she gives all the milk that has been secreted. This may be the case and still the udder have a full appearance. If this be so, rub it well twice a day with a little camphorated liniment.

A certain cow is in good condition but at times her milk has a rank taste and smell. It is usually the evening's milk. This trouble must be caused from some weeds the animal eats. We know of no derangement in the udder of the cow which would produce it There are no medicines that will assist a cow in cleaning. After the third day it should be removed by the hand and the part washed out with water 50 parts and carbolic acid 1 part.

A stallion has a cough and a thumping motion at his flanks. The horse is in good condition. Give the horse less food and more exercise; also give 1 oz. of Fowler's solution of arsenic at a dose in a small bran mash at night and continue it for a month or six

Sheep Raising in the South. J. B Killebrew, arguing in the cur-

rent issue of the Southern Farm Magazine in favor of a more extensive raising of sheep, for both wool and mutton. in the South, says that there are no climatic obstacles. In fact, in the adaptability for the business he asserts that "no part of North America surpasses the fourteen Southern States." vast variety of grass and forage crops the well-drained surface, the distribution of shade, the mildness of the climate, and the healthfulness of the flocks. The cold, he points out, is not so severe during the winter as to make the care of sheep a source of great concern, nor are the heats of summer so extreme as to produce, after a few generations, a degeneracy of the character of the fleece. But the greatest advantage, aside from its climate, which the South enjoys for the sheep husbandman, is the extensive highway pasture that abounds on the Alleghany Mountains and other places, and the fact that winter food suitable for sheep is quickly and cheaply grown all over the South. The only obstacle to the growth of the industry pointed out by Mr. Killebrew is the universal presence of the "yellow dog," "a free rover protected by the wisdom of our Legislatures," and "a general favorite with all those who pay no taxes, but who vote."

A Noteworthy Comparison. Total exports of dairy products in '97 were 82,290,000 lbs, against 84,885,000 24 years earlier. But in '73 exports were nearly all cheese, 80,366,000 lbs. while last year these amounted to scant 51,000,000 lbs. Butter exports meanwhile were only 4,500,000 lbs in '73 against 31,345,000 lbs in '97. The year '81 showed the heaviest export business in dairy products; from that date to '96 the business fell off materially, but a violent poison and can be taken in it is now apparently on the up grade.

> It is reported that upon a 3,000-acre farm in New Jersey, where ensilage is largely used as a winter feed for the dairy herd, they grew 2,000 tons last year at a cost, when harvested and put on some parts of it was 33 tons to the acre, actual weight, not guess work. The milk yield per cow was an aver-

Ensilage and Milk Yield.

all the milk he can produce, at 10 cents per quart, and guarantees 20 per ent, of cream on each bottle. Clean hog wallows are necessary to "What's the matter?" asked the mathe comfort and health of the animal during very warm weather. Hogs can

hot be thrifty and profitable,

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Wireless Telegraphy Makes Enormous Strides in Europe - Perfessor Marconi, the Most Successful of Many Experimenters, Caly 25 Years Old-Bogan Work is Italy and Is Now Worltny.

M. Ducretet can now send wireless telegraph messages a distance of thirteen miles. He is the inventor whose researches in aerial telegraphy have received the encouragement of the French Government ever since the remarkable success of Marconi in Eng-

U. S. Consul General Gowdy had received instructions from Washington to keep the Government informed of Freuch progress in this important branch of invention, and he applied to M. Ducretet for a summary of his discoveries. In reply, the electrician communicated the above fact, adding that his messages are dispatched and received at the summits of masts 99 feet high. He says that he has accomplished, in the face of great difficulties, the automatic registration of

Wireless telegraphy made enormous strides last year in Europe. Al-though it has been experimented with in this country with more or less success, it is doubtful if many Americans realize that a system covering a distance of twelve miles has been in practical operation of the English coast all Winter.

This is between the South Foreland lighthouse and the East Goodwin lightship. By the use of Marconi's system messages are flashed continunily from ship to shore and vice versa without the aid of wire. In this way many lives and much valuable property have been saved, since it has been possible for the men tossed in the lightship to communicate to those on shore the plight of vessels that have ventured to close to that graveyard of good ships, the Goodwin Sands. This was notably the case several months ago when the large ship Elbe went aground. Professor Marconi, the most sucess-

ful of the many experimenters who have worked on this problem along identical principles, is only twenty five years old, and his researches have nlready won him a fortune. He behastened to pay him a handsome price for his invention for use on war ships. Then the young professor went to England, where he was received with open arms. The lighthouse lightship equipment is one of the results of his sojourn in England. Confident that he could transmit than twelve miles. Marconi proposed to establish communication of this for a long time withheld its consent the progress of wireless telegraphy in Digiand and Italy, however, and the fact that the German Emperor was dabbling in it for the benefit of his army and navy, the French Government at length withdrew its opposition to the trans-Channel system, which Marconi is now working at, and at the same time gave its assistance and support to a Lative inventor, M.

along the same lines without much encouragement. On top of the tall building in Paris where M. Ducretet had his laboratory Is reared a mast, through the top of which passes a wire which is connected in the laboratory below with an electric conductor, a Ruhmkorff coll and an accumulating battery made after a special plan.

Ducretet, who had been working

The greater the distance between and transmitting instruments be installed above the surface of the earth. That is because the earth's horizon must not intervene between them. Strangely enough, though, it has been found in short distance experiments that even stone walls do not interfere with the current of diminish the precision of messages.

Without entering into technicalities about a discovery which presents many poins of mystery even to scientists, it may be explained for the benefit of laymen that the principle of wireless telegraphy is really the principle by which one tuning fork will give out a note in response to the vibrations produced by the striking of another tuning fork near by.

Gives No Flash. It is reported that the new French rapid-fire gun inverted by Col. Humbert gives no flash or sign of fire. If this be true the French have made an advance in artillery second only in importance to that which marked the introduction by them of smokeless powder, says the scientific American. In the operations around Santiago the only means by which our men could locate the position of the enemy was by the flash. If this should be removed the art of war, especially on land, will become more difficult than ever, for a masked battery of smokeless nowder and fiashless guns would be positively undiscoverable. The only description of the gun that has come aver of sweet water. to hand is rather obscure; but it would seem that an attempt is made to cool the larger portion of the gases below their flash point before they are alof fire has reached a maximum of twenty shots per minute. To accommodate the increased expenditure of ammunition it is proposed to reduce a single battery from four to five guns and increase the number of aminualtion wagons.

While the wedding service is going on in Japan, the bride kindles a torch and the bridegroom lights a fire from it and burns the wife's playthings.

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THEIR GRIEVOUS MISTAKE. They Edg't Know That the Sectory Editor

Was a Wesser. Of course they didn't know that the society editor was a woman, but it would have been a good thing if they had invertigated, for she didn't know

They wanted a nice little notice for their entertainment, and when any one wants a nice little notice for an entertainment of a social nature in this day and generation he or she reaches for

that they didn't know-and there you

a pen and writes to the society editor. That is just what happened on this occasion. The members of the Executive Committee decided to write to the society editor.

"What shall I say?" asked the one who had the pen. "We want to get as good a send-off as possible." "Better ask him to come himself."

enlied one of the others. "Do you think that would be better than writing out all the facts and

sending them to him?" "Sure. Then he can get what he wants, and it will be better all round. Besides, it will please him, you know, and he'll probably do a lot better by

us than he would otherwise." "If we're going to ask him to come," said the man with the pen. "what's the use of writing to him at all. Why

not just send him an invitation?" Of course, as before stated, they didn't know, and consequently it won't do to blame them too much but when that invitation arrived the society editor jumped clear out of her chair.

"The idea," she exclaimed indignantly, "of inviting me to a stag party! And then," she went on, "just look at

She pointed to a line in large, bold type at the top of the invitation, which

"There'll be a bot time in the old town to-night!" Unquestionably they meant well, but they didn't know. Clubs that get up stag parties should learn to be care-

Water Marks a Kentuckian's Grave. "I think we have a pond down in our neighborhood," said a citizen of Auburn, Ky., "which takes the prize in the wonder class. It is known as the Herndon Pond and is only a short distance from the little hamlet of Corinth.

"The story goes that a man was ploughing in the field one day in June. several years ago, when the earth opened and he was engulfed. The horse he was driving was swallowed up and no trace of either of them was ever found. A pond of water spread. out over a six-acre field and marks gan the work in Italy, his native the farmer's grave. From that day to country and the Italian Government this the lake has always contained about the same quantity of water. That the pond is fed by some large underground stream is evident, for it never goes dry, it matters not how prolonged the droughts may be.

"I once talked to a man of 95, a ve of the immediate locality, who told me he remembered distinctly when the farmer was swallowed up kind between the English and French by the sudden caving of the earth and coasts, but the French Government that the people from up in Simpson county, thirty miles away, went down from any such enterprise. Viewing to view the pond and learn the particulars."

"Old Glory"

Among the gallant defenders of "Old Glory" at the battle of New Orleans sone served more faithfully than Capt. Samuel Chester Reid. This same Capt. Reid was the man who suggested the present form of the flag.

After the flag had, by the admission of two States, come to be one of fifteen stars and fifteen stripes, the admission of Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana and Letisiana rendered a change desirable, and in 1816 a committee was appointed to inquire into the expeilency of altering the flag.

Capt. Reld was consulted. He at at once suggested that the stripes be stations the higher must the receiving reduced to thirteen, and that the Union have a star for every State, new stars to be added to the flag on the Fourth of July following the admission of the States.

> The first flag made under that law was the handiwork of Mrs. Reid, and loated over the House of Representalives April 14, 1818.

> > Traveling in Luxury.

The height of luxurious traveling as been reached by the czar and czarna. The empress' private car is uptolstered in pale blue satin. The elecric lamps are all in the form of lilies. ind it contains writing and ten tables made of mother of pearl. The nursery s the next apartment and is as comortable and handsome as the same cooms in any of the czar's palaces. There are dining rooms and drawing cooms and several sleeping apartments. In fact, this train is a miniature palice. The wheels are covered with

Salt and Presh Lake.

ndia rubber tires.

A small lake-Selawik-near the rea-coast, in Alaska, has tides which ise and fall in the lake, perhaps on account of an underground connecilon with the sea. At the bottom the water is salt, but on top there is a

Pieces in a Locomotive. In the formation of a single locomoive engine there are nearly 6,000 pieclowed to reach the open air. The rate is to be put together, and these remire to be as accurately adjusted as the works of a watch.

Tyrian Putple.

The Tyrian purple is the only dye reated of at length by Pliny. Its dieovery and employment gave wealth and prosperity to Tyre more than 1,000

A NAME IN PROPORTION.

A Man Wils Chose & Name That Meant Sonie hing.

He walked into the office of the police commission the other morning about 8:30 o'clock. Behind him trotted one of those animated frankfurters, technically known as duchshand. The dog stood about seven inches high, and his body stretched out from his shoulders behind at least three feet.

His owner made for the desk of John Perkins, who, with his duties of secretary of the commission, also has tha privilege of making out all the licenses. "I vont a lizence," said the man.

"All right," answered Mr. Perkins, automatically, and reached for a pad to take down the aulmai's name, breed, and place of residence. "Gimme his name," he said.

The owner of the dog drew a deep breath, and sat down at the secretary's

"I geef 'im to you schlow, so you geef him righdt," he said.

"Go on," and Mr. Perkins poised his pencil over the sheet of paper. "Spitzbub Ned-" said the man.

Mr. Perkins wrote, "Haf you god eet?" he was asked "Yes, go on."

"Duke of Golumbia-" Mr. Perkins put that down. "Did you geet dot?"

"Yes, yes; go on." "Scheerenschleifer Schnudel---" Mr. Perkins darted a look at the man, then wrote it down.

Haf you god dot on de baber?" he was asked. "Why, of course; go on."

"Baron Dachs von Spiel---" Mr. Perkins dropped his pencil. He urned toward the man. His face was ed and he was mad. "Say," he exclaimed, "don't you

hink that dog's got a pretty long "Vell, what for you geet mat; he's a ong tog, already, ain'd it."

And the secretary fell off the stool. Retribution.

"Rafferty." said Mr. Dolan, "wot'll we do wid 'em whin we git 'em?"

"Whin we git what?" "The Dons, otherwise known as Da-

"Hang 'em," was the laconic answer, 'Shtand 'em up in a line an' hang 'em wan a day at sunrise. An' whin Oi say sunrise Ol mane whin the sun nomes up the first t'ing in the mornin'. widout takin' the almanac an' doin' iny figurin', fur thim felly's is the flimlammers that'll run away wid yer inses an' thin laugh at ye. Me daugher that's in the High School wor sayin' hot whin it's noon here it's about 'olve o'clock in the afternoon in Madild. 'How d'ye know?' says Of. 'Did ez get it telegrapped from Madrid?' Iv coorse, it has been done, says she. Thin, says Oi, 'don't yez b'lave it, fur him haythen couldn't tell the troot', not even about the toime o'day."

"Rafferty, ye're heart's roight, but ver if ye had a cyclometer fastener till ver moind the way ye think 'ud make t go back wards. An' Ol'm sorry ty near ye so bloodt'irsty, wantin' revinge e hangin'."

"I suppose ye're afraid it 'ud hurt em." was the sarcastic rejoinder. "No. But it's being' too alsy wid

em. D'ye remember the boy iv Murty McManus who wint ty sea an' come pack wid the tattoo pictures an 'im?" "Yis. Oi'll nivver furgit the shock

ie gev me wan day whin we wint swimmin', But he wor a foine piece of ilagree work."

"He's what put the plan in me moind. We'll take the Dagoes an' turn aich iv em over ty the government tattooer in' hoy a picture iv the American lag inscribed an 'is chist. Oi know t's a cruel proposal an' wan unworthy y a philanthropic gintleman such as Di hope Oi am. But whin Oi t'ink iv he mental agony there'll be whin they ilscover they're a lot iv star spangled Spaniards, the more ashamed iv meself Oi git, the prouder Oi am of it!"

A Lemon in Geography.

A couple of years ago De Scott Evans, he artist, took a trip to Jamaica, and ipon his return to New York he exilbited a number of pictures that he and painted during his outing.

One day a man who had been looking hrough the studio stopped before a ertain picture, and asked: "What does this represent?"

"That," sald Mr. Evans, "is a scene

n Jamaica." "Jamaica?" echoed the visitor: 'that's strange. I don't remember ever seeing anything like that in Jamaica."

"You have been there, then, have you?" the artist inquired. "Oh, yes, I live there."

"Well, you surely must be acquainted with this place then. It is a street icene in the principal town of the is-The man from Jamaica looked at Mr.

Evans for a moment, as if he thought he latter must be daft. Then he.emphatically declared: "I live in Jamaica, and there isn't a

treet in the town that bears the renotest resemblance to that picture." ' The mention of Jamaica as a town

cleared away the mist. "I see," said Mr. Evans, "you live in Jamaica, Long Island, don't you?" "Yes," replied the suburbanite. "Is here another Jamaica anywhere!"

Thoughtless.

"It was a great mistake," said the Madrid press consor thoughtfully. "To what do you refer?" inquired

he cabinet member. "Permitting the papers to call those Americans 'Yankee pigs.' After having belittled them with that epithet we will never in the world be able to expinin how they came to whip us,"

"A WATER WITCH AM I,"

Lav of a So. Dakota Yarmer Who Claims to Be Gifted With Supernatural Powers.

Frank M. Withee, a ploueer farmer, of Yankton county, has, in a most mysterious manner, located water noon his farm as well as upon the farms of other Yankton equaty farmers. He was very much in need of water for his large farm. He had bored for colored gentleman, who bore the illuswater five times to the depth of 100 trious name of Coorge Washington feet and seven times to the depth of Robinson, boarded the car in charge of between 40 and 70 feet, but without In his predicament he remembered

holds a forked stick in her hand whenever she passes over water the willow stick will be drawn toward the earth. He also recalled another story of his youth that ants always go to water. and wherever there is a collection of ant hills there is water beneath. He resolved to play water-witch. Here is the story of his experience: " I cut a forked willow stick, the limbs forming the fork being as large

as a lead penell, and went out to an

ant village on my farm. I grasped the

prougs of the willow fork and bent

slightly forward in order to give the

an old story that if a water witch

witch all possible chance to work, providing she was with me. "Well that willow stick began to turn gently in my hands. It was just a mild force that was exerted, but it frightened me, and I was on the point of dropping the stick and getting out of that spooky locality as fast as I could, when I happened to think that I came down there to find water, and there was no sense in running away. "I knew from the pressure on the

stick that there was but little water if any beneath the aut village, and I went along until I reached a slight rise in the ground. I finally stood on top of a small ridge.

When I bent forward the prongs of that fork began to twist in my hand. I clutched it with all my might, and the bark came off in my hands, but the third, or upright limb, turned entirely over and pointed straight toward the earth. I afterward took a 12-inch well augur and sank a hole on that spot. At a depth of 70 feet I found water, and it is 26 feet deep.

"In all the time that we have used if the amount in that well has not been reduced a barrel seemingly, and is as pure and sweet as spring water. "Since I discovered that I possess the witch I have discovered a dozen wells in widely separated localities, and never failed to be absolutely correct in pointing out good water.' The End of the World.

The comet which an Austrian as-

tronomer states will next year buck the earth into kingdom come and toss it, disemboweled, to fertilize the furrows of space where worlds foment, have lacked into the beauties of Austrian astronomy. Since the day when a French astronomer declared that comets were composed of diamonds and gold we have encountered nothing more entertaining. A little over a century ago comets were learnedly regarded as siderial automobiles, packed not with globe but with universe trotters. Maupertuis pictured one pulling up at Paris and wondered who would be the more surprised, the boulevardiers or the tourists. The imagination of Ambrose Pare was capable of even greater flights. In his work entitled "Celestial Monsters" he describes a blood-colored comet that sailed about freighted with axes. knives and swords, and which was maned with bideously bearded gnomes. "So horrible and frightful" was" he says, "the spectacle of it and such terror did it engender among the devout that many fell sick and others Lambert hastened to the rescue. In his "Cosmological Letters" he distinctly stated that a blood-col-

that a real big one might carry off the moon or hurl us "beyond the regions of Saturn, where hideous Winter reigns interminably." Kepler himself believed that comets were animated. He said there were more in the sky than fish in the ocean. Arago saw and counted them all. According to him there were exactly 17.500.000. According to Laplace, one of them produced the deluge. On the other hand. Newon announced that a comet as long as from here to Saturn would, if condensed to the degree of our atmosphere, find comfortable quarters in a thimble. Now comes this Austrian gentleman. The peacock that he sees in the perihelion disturbs us as little as it disturbs Flammarion. We assume, as he does, that the end of the earth will coincide, not with the end of the century, but with the end of the sun. When

ored comet, however well equipped,

could only destroy a few kingdoms.

But later be was induced to admit

all too long dead to bother. The Name of Barnum.

that event occurs we shall have been

Charles A. Davis, of Forenaugh's circus, said recently that James A Bailey had organized a \$2,000,000 stock company in London, with Dukes and Earls and Lords as his directors, to take over Barunm's circus, of which there is now little left but the name. Three hundred thousand dollars, he said, would be a fair appraisement of the property, but the good-willis worth at least \$1,000,000, and represents nothing but the value of Barnum's name ten years after his death.

"Barnum." he said. "was the greatest showman ever known, and his renutation and popularity were greater in England than in the United States. The English people could never comprehend his methods. His candor mystifled them. They were accustomed to all kinds of gilded frauds and fakes, but when he announced that he had a humbug to exhibit everybody laughed and went to see it and advertised it as genuine. He first went over with Tom Thumb in 1843, and captivated the nation. Every time he went afterward his popularity grew-He probably took more gate money from England than any other amusement man that ever lived.

"Buffalo Bill has probably been seen by more human beings than any other professional," coninued Mr. Davis, but his name attached to a show is not worth a cent unless he appears himself. It was the same way with Booth, who was the greatest of actors. and Pattle who is the greatest of singers. A theatrical troop traveling under Booth's name or an opera companp under Pattl's name, would not draw any more than Buffelo Bill's company without Buffalo Bill, But the name 'barnum' attached to a show is worth a millior dollars. It shows the eccentricity of the human nature."

A PUZZLED DARKEY.

His Amusing Experience With An Accommodating Conductor.

There is a very obliging conductor on the Main street trolley line who always calls out the asmes of the streets the car stors at for the benefit of his passengers. The other day a this obliging conductor. He was apparently a stranger in town and asked to be let off at Lake View. The coaductor nodded pleasantly and George went in and sat down. The car proceeded on its way up Main street and the first stop was as Smith street. The conductor called out "Smith" and a gentleman arose and left the car. The next stop announced was Taylor when another gentleman arose and got off. The car went on until the conductor The car went on antil the conductor pulled the bell and called out "Mary," at which a young lady alighted and when which a young lady alighted and when the trolley reached Elizabeth, a few blocks further on, another lady left the car upon the announcement of the name.

The colored gentleman was staring at the conductor by this time, although none of the other passengers appeared to notice the coincidence of the names. Just one block this side of Gould avenue a passenger signified his desire to stop the car and the conductor called out "George!" The darkey looked up with a quizzical expression on his dusky countenance and then bolted for the door. The car went on and after looking around he asked the other passenger who had alighted if this was Lake View. The passerger replied it was George street and that Lake View was about half a mile farther down. A realization of the situation dawned on the African and he started walking towards Lake View muttering something about "fool nigger."

Depends on the Person.

Visitor-"I say, old chap, is it worth one's while to try any shooting about

Native-"Wall, young feller, that depends on who you shoot."

Scotch caution is well illustrated in the story told by a minister who GAIN taught a bible class in Edinburgh. Having missed one of his students for several Sundays, he said to one of her relatives: "I haena seen yeer cousin Bell at the class for a long while. Ye \$13.00 Whaur has she gaen?" "I canna very der or 413.00 weel tell ve that weel tell ve that, meenister." was the careful reply, "but she's deed."

The other day a would-be playwright brought to Richard Mansfield a play for him to read. The actor found it execrable and when the author demanded a verdict, Mr. Mansfield felt it a kindness to point out the mistakes he had made. But the tyro waxed wroth. "Do you know that play cost me a year's hard labor?" he exclaimed. "My dear man, you are fortunate," returned the imperturbed actor: "a more just judge would have made it ten years-he really would."

Elias Howe, the inventor of the sewing machine, proved his patriotism during the war by enlisting and by frequent heavy contributions from his private purse. In November, 1862, hts. regiment was in Virginia, suffering great discomfort. Not having been paid off and the men needing money Private Howe advanced \$13,000 due them. He sat at a table handing out the money, when a clergyman asked him for a subscription toward a new church. "Oh," said Howe, "this is war time." "Yes." the clergyman replied. but we need churches and hope you will give us something for St. Peter's." "St. Peter," said Howe; "he was the fighting apostle and cut off a man's ear." "Yes." "Oh, well," said Howe, "I'll give you \$50 for St. Peter, but just now most of my money is being spent on saitpeter."

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ing 7:25 a. m., 4:15 p, m. Dover, 4:50, 9:45 a. m., 12:30, 2:40, 5:22 8:52 m. Sundays, 8:00, 10:48 a. m., 8:57 p. m Returning 6:50, 10:24 a. m., 1:35, 4:30, 6:20 9:32 p. m. Sundays, 7:30 a. m., 9:22 p. m.

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30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 11 00 Leave York Beach for Portamonth-5 45, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 m; 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30,

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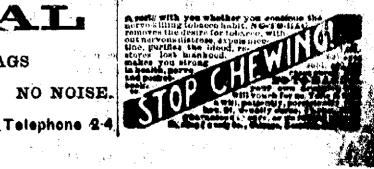
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Tanner Street	2,500
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THE HERALD.

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1999.

TEA TABLE TALK.

HERE AND THERE.

The chadren play with the pretty pink shells Upon the shining strand; With timy spades they hollow well

From out the trickling sand; But off 21 sea, where the great depths are, The northers wrench at sail and spar.

The fisher wires slog as they plu their nork In the snug cots back from shore; On the suber steeple of the kirk The sunlight's ble-sings pour;

But off at sea the clouds bang black And the water-form to a howling pack. The lassies think of the lads away

And hum a tender tune; Slowly slips the peaceful day Toward the rising moon; But off at sea they grown in prayer On a battered ship that's foundering there.

It is reported that Della Fox is dying out in St. Louis. She could not stand the pace that she has been following for the past two years. Her condition is pathetic. Once she headed the argest comic opera organization in the country and was a most magnetic drawng card. Now, if the story in a New York Sunday paper be true, she is doomed to a miserable death.

I journeyed to Exeter on Saturday to see a game of baseball. There was a game, but it wasn't baseball. It was combination of peggy, marbles and cricket. I could discover no redeeming teature in Exeter's play. It was miverable in all departments. Of course I expected that Dartmouth would win, but I thought that Exeter would at least be a factor in the contest. Dartmouth has a first class team this year, I should judge, although Saturday's game was no accurate criterion.

After the game I talked with Folsom, Dartmouth's clever right fielder, about that game with Andover in which the New Hampshire collegians were defeated. He told me that Cook, the I regular Dartmouth pitcher, lay off that day and Sampson, substitute, went into the box. The Andovers found his curves and won out. "Andover's team isn't any stronger than Exeter," said Folsom. "We could have drubbed it handily with Cook twirling for us."

I hope that when the North Atlantic squadron comes here this summer Admiral Sampson will bring his fighting ships up the harbor and not anchor them out beyond the Shoals. I also hope that transportation facilities down the harbor will be better than they were at the previous visit of the squadron-Then scores of visitors from other towns were unable to get down to the ships on the tugs and steamers, they were so inadequate.

The summoning of physicians to testify in the case of Call vs P. K. and Y railroad at Exeter recently leads me to inquire, what is the real value of expert testimony, so called, in superior court cases? If a murderer's life hinges on the plea of insanity, there is never any trouble in securing doctors on either side to take the witness cath. Both prosecution and defense promptly bring before the jury their "experts," to testify that the murderer is clearly as mad as a March hare or, on the other hand, as lucid of brain as Chauncey Depew.

All these experts receive big pay for their testimony, but this may not influence it. I remember the remark of an able physician who has just retired from a lucrative practice to pass the rest of of his years in ease. Said he, "I would n't give a pinch of snuff for all the expert testimony ever presented in court. You can buy any kind and as much of it as you desire."

SUPREME COURT-W M CHASE, J

Monday forenoon was occupied with final call of the docket. For the aftercomes to trial. It is Geo. H. Young ve. Goodwin Bros. action on Mechanic's lien. The point in dispute is the validity of an order on Goodwin duly accepted and deducted from payments to

ANNOUNCEMENT.

advertised agents, the Globe Grocery Co., will sell you a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "The Best Salve in the World," and guarantee it to cure Cuts, o'clock this evening. Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or money refunded.

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WOMAN'S EXCHANGE.

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Woman's Exchange will be held this Tuesday morning, May 2d, at eleven o'clock.

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CONDUCTOR KENNARD HURT.

Struck by Express Train at Perkins Street Crossing, East Somerville. Charles W. Kennard, a well-known conductor on the B. A.M.R. R. was struck by an inward-bound Salem expreis train at the Perkir a street crossing of the road in East Somerville, yesterday morning, and received internal injuries, eside having his head crushed. He ras at once taken to the Massachusetts reneral hospital.

Mr. Kennard had just returned from his first trip and was going to breakfast d his home, 14 Arlington street, Somerville, when the accident occurred Just how it happened no one appears to know definitely. He probably thought he had time to cross the tracks.

Mr. Kennard is 62 years old and hes been employed on the road for 30

VOTE TO CONSOLIDATE.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Eastern Railroad in N. H.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Rail-road in New Hampshire was held in Peirce hall at 11 o'clock this forenoon, Henry Wheeler, Esq., of Boston presiding.

The following directors were chosen Henry Wheeler, Poston; Edward A. Giddings, Boston; S. C. Eastman, Concord; Frank .A Philbrick, Rye; Seth M. Richards, Newport; Elisha R. Brown, Dover: Arthur W. Walker, Portsmouth. It was voted to consolidate with the Boston and Maine.

OBITUARY.

Patrick J. Connor.

Patrick J. Connor, aged 71 years, died at Newfields on Friday, and was buried Monday, funeral services being held at 10:30 a m. Mr. Connor had served for over forty years as section hand or foreman on the Boston & Maine railroad. He was respected by everybody, being industrious, honest, patriotic. His two sons occupy important positions, John E, as traveling passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific, and Thomas P. is foreman of the shipfitting department of the Portsmouth navy yard. He also leaves three daughters, Annie, Minnie and Kate Connor.

ANNUAL MEETING

An adjourned meeting of the Parish of Christ church was held in the parish rooms on Monday evening. As usual a goodly number of the parishoners were present. Considerable unfinished and de layed business was transacted, and the following officers were elected for the en suing year:

Senior Warden-E. B. Prime; Junior Warden-H. B. Dow; Treasurer-H. B. Dow; Assistant Treasurer-R. L. Sugden: Farish Clerk--John H. Knox;

Vestrymen-John H. Sugden, Sidney Trueman, Robert Sugden, Alexander Dawson, Thomas Trueman.

Auditors-E. B. Prime, John H. Sug-

Four delegates to the D'oces Conven tion were elected.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

All the flags were flying on Monday in honor of Dewey day.

The new boats were placed aboard the Potomac on Monday.

There was a good sized force of men at work on the Piscataqua on Monday. There will be a rush to the yard upon the arrival of the captured Spanish gun-

boats today.

FUNERAL IN RYE.

The funeral services over the remains of young Norman Tucker were held Monday afternoon from its parent's noon Nos. 110 and 134 were set; also 13 home in Rye, Rev. Mr. Beebe officiat ing. Interment took place in Central cemetery, Undertaker H. W. Nickerson

SAIL THIS AFTERNOON.

A telegram received fat the Herald office at 2 o'clock states that the Spanish vessels Sandoval and Alvarado would Today, and every day next week, out sail from Marblehead for this port at 3 o'clock this afternoon. This ought to

BLUE JACKET INJURED.

Edward Kenney, seaman on the U.S. hospital Monday, suffering with a year will soon be complete. severe sprained ankle received, while boardingthe boat Sunday evening. His shipmates hope for a quick recovery.

Bon't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, so mag notic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak met strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaran yards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup Sterling Remee's Co. Chicago or I'ew York

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CITY BRIEFS.

Note this, dear heart: Or soon or late, All things come to those who wait; Thou waitest-and as I wait, too, Shall I start first—or say, will von?

-Cuicago Record. No more brush fires at present. Trout fishermen now hold sway.

Duck and crash outfits are in order. Trees are rapidly putting out their

Last evening's showers were appre May parties are to be quite numerous

There was a drop in the stock market

Screens and screen doors are being brought out.

Bliss coilege has closed for the summer vacation. Even the heavens assisted in celebrat

ng Dewey day. The steamer Samuel Butterfield was

inspected on Monday. The position of postmaster will not

be filled without a struggle. Won't Admiral Sampson and his men ing. receive a grand reception here.

Conner, photographer, Studio, (formerly Nickerson's) No 1 Congress street. A good cigar is man's best enjoyment. Next try Dowd's Honest ten.

The steam road roller is being used on Middle and Islington streets.

J. W. Moorcroft is moving into the Mendum house on Wibird street. The sea coast boulevard will be built

earlier than is generally expected. Wanted-Immediately, 20 first class painters. Apply at J. H. GARDINER'S. The Portsmouth candle pin team was

1137 to 1203, Wrappers from 50c up at the Globe Grocery Co. Our specialty is a \$1.25

beaten at Exeter last night by a score of

wrapper for 97c. The "S. G" Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent

igar in the market. Commander James Cogswell U.S. N., made a personal inspection of the Nar-

Don't bank too heavy on your candi dates for postmaster. The contest promises to be short and sweet.

row's lights on Monday.

Wait for the shirt waist sale of the Globe Grocery Co. They will lead the town as on everything clse.

Last evening's thunder shower was nexpected by most people and many were caught out without protection.

The thunder storm of last evening tied ap the cars on the P. K. & Y. for some hours by burning out part of the line.

Come in at the Globe Grocery Co. and select your Jacket. They have the largest line and lowest prices as usual. Only a few of those ladies' tailor made suits left at the Globe Grocery Co. We have handsome all wool suits for \$6.50.

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One year ago Company A., First N. H. Vols., left for Chickamaugua. This afternoon the boys were paid for state

State Agent R. E. Hodgkins of the S. P. C. A. is in Suncook today investigating a case of alleged crueltry to ani-Some one has been getting gay with

the calendar, and run in a July day on Monday. Let upold man, we will need If you want to be in the swim ride

the 1899 Spanlding. It is the wheel to bank on and has no equal. Charles E. Wcods, agent. The York-Herbor and Beach steam

road is carrying a large amount of freight which has been collecting at York for some weeks.

The theatrical season in this city has been brought to a close, "The Texas Steer" of last week being the last attraction on the books.

Currier & Dunbar's combination meal and lunch tickets are money savers. Call for them at their lunch parlors.

The work on the new pier at Gerrish island, which extends out into the har-The work on the new fortifications will friends. be commenced at once.

The last meeting of the assessors of axes to receive inventories was held on Monday evening and the work of mak Piscataqua, was taken to the Navel ing up the valuation from the present

Edward Lyons, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons, died Sunday night at his parents' home on Penhallow street, aged 5 years, 10 months. The funeral was held this Tuesday morning.

The property of Mr. Andrew J.

PERSONALS

Mayor Page is in Exeter today. Miss Florence Smith was a visitor in

Boston Monday. Rev. H. D. Hovey passed Monday

night in Concord. Mr. James Ryan of this city passed Monday in Dover.

vere în town todsy. Congressman Sulloway passed Sun-

Col. Samuel Fisher and wife of Dover

day in the mountains. Daniel A. Hill of Kittery went to Newburyport Monday.

Miss Florence Smith passed Monday in Exeter with friends. Christopher W. Jackson was in town

on business on Monday. Everett N. McNabb wheeled to Ray-

mond and back Monday.

George Collis passed Monday night in Exeter the guest of friends. Misses Grace and Alice Haley at

passing a few days in Boston. Elisha R. Brown of Dover was in town today attending the railroad meet-

Miss Hazel Gerry of the Bliss college has returned to her home in North Ber-

Mrs. Harriett Hayes of Brockton, Mass., is the guest of relatives on Prospect street.

Richard Mulcahey has resamed his duties at the depot cafe after a two weeks vacation.

Edith Wright of North Hampton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred H Ward, Miller Avenue.

Police Officer Frank Shannon reported for duty Monday, having fully recovered from his severe illness.

Mrs. E. J. Connor and daughter, Miss Grace, who passed Sunday in Newfields, returned home on Monday.

on Richards avenue, and will soon move his family here from Somerville. Mr. W. F. Harrington of Manchester, treasurer of the Portsmouth Brewing

Joseph E. Hoxie has leased a house

Co., was a visitor here on Monday. Mrs. George F. Evans of Portland was the guest of her father, Mr. A. W. Odiorne of State street on Monday.

Si Levis, the clever young boxer, who fought Dingle Finn on Saturday evening, left for Haverbill on Monday even-

The reception to Captain Frank Wildes, U. S. N., by the Algonquin club of Boston occurs next Thursday

Clerk Cotton of the Boston & Maine construction department [arrived from Northampton on Sunday to pass a few Edward P. Horne, the old time chief

of the fire department of Great Falls, was here on Monday renewing old ac-Mr. William Mason, surfman No. 7 of the Hampton beach life saving crew,

received his discharge on Monday, and came to this city. Fred N. Crosby, proprietor of the Hotel Leonia at North Hampton, has arrived there for the summer and expects to have the house opened for

guests by June first. Mr. Edward J. Moulton, one of the feeling, still enthusiastic survivors of the Cali- mis fornia gold fever of '49, will be present next Friday, May 5, at the annual meeting of the California Pioneers to be held at the United States hotel,

OGUNQUIT.

OGUNQUIT, May 1st. Rev. Mr. Blanchette preached at the Christian church Sunday morning for Rev. M1. Hickes as Mr. Hickes was out Rev. M1. Hickes as Mr. Hickes was out of town. 🖕

The new hotel on the Head is up and partly boarded. Mr. Mathews, who has the contract has a big gang of men working on it. Some of the Wells Depot whist club

met at the Sachem Saturday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Littlefield and sands of testi monials-Miss Jennie Rowe who has been visit

ing her sister, Mrs. E. J. F. Littlefield for the past two months returned to her home at Centre Strafford, N. H. today. Mr. Howard Proble of York was at bring the hoats here by seven or eight | bor 550 feet, was completed on Monday. | Ogunquit Tuesday, April 26, visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wright returned Sunday from a week's visit to South Berwick and Boston.

Reuben Dorrill will move his family into his new house this week.

PATROL WAGON ACCEPTED.

MARION.

The police commissioners held meeting on Monday afternoon and voted to accept the patrol wagon and ambulance from the city. Commissioner Brown was sold at auction on Saturday Laskey was instructed to get bids from Office—13 Pieceon St., Exclude Building for \$5000. It consists of the store on the local statle keepers for furnishing a Water street, a house on Winter street horse by the year. It is the plan to and two lots on Harvard street. - Exc- keep the patrol wagon in the rear of the city building.

A PLEASANT PARTY,

Gladys Annette, tittle daughter of Ur. and Mrs. John Young, reached her afth birthday on Monday and in honor of the event charmingly entertained some twenty-five of her young friends it her home on Lafayette road.

Never did children enjoy themselves is did those little ones, from three to six o'clock. Every kind of a game was brought out for their amusement, while they had free sway over the house, lawn and outbuildings.

A dainty lunch was served, which added much to the enjoyment, after which the start for home was reluctantly made.

It was a merry crowd of little ones that Charlie Rowe, the veteran driver, brought back to the Parade, and the parents felt safe in trusting them to his

Among those present were: Blanche and Dorothy Bell, Marguerite Stoddard, Beatrice and Emma Hartford, Teresa Paul, Edua Hudson, Mina Harriman, Ina and Irene Waldron, Helen Blake, Gladys Knowles, Margnerite Gardner, Harold Sweetser, Flossie Lord, Gretchen and Marion Hett, Bessie Ramsdell, Marion Abbott, Gertrude and Florence Hett, Helen Moore, Grace Kenney and Nonie Falvey.

MINISTER'S ASSOCIATION

Several pastors of the city met in the coms of the Y. M. C. A. Monday forenoon, and organized the minister's association of Portsmouth and vicinity. The officers elected are President, Rev. George M. Gile of the Middle street church.

Secretary and Treasurer, Rev. Robert L. Duston of the Pearl street church. Revs. William Warren, L. A. Thayer BEFORE YOU DO YOUR SPRING PAINTING GET and Edward Tobey D. D. committee on Constitution and Programme.

After the business was transacted, the clergyman present reported the services held in their respective churches the preceding Sabbath, which proved to Paints, be very interesting. Rev. George M. Gile will present the

held in two weeks. WILL BE OPEN TO VISITORS

paper at the next meeting which will be

The captured Spanish gunboats Sandoval and Alvarado which are due at the yard today will be open for inspection The Misses Toscan of Middle street had two trees planted on Arbor day in ordered to duty at the New York navy will be a rush to the yard during the ordered to duty at the New York navy Apothecary Menzies of the naval of visitors from ten to twelve a. m. and next ten days to view the little fighters.

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